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TI is hereby notified for Public Information that the VALUATION LIST for the Income for Year. Colony for 1894.95 will be open to inspection at the TREASURY for 21 days, commencing on Paid Policy-Holders during TUESDAY, the 15th May, 1994. By Commandia in a series

Acting Colonial Secretary., Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 10th May, 1894. THE UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY GENERAL MEET ING of this SOCIETY will be held at the OFFICES of the SOCIETY, No. 4, PRAYA, HONG, KONG, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th MAY, 1894. ut NOON, when the subjoined Resolution, which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meet ing of the Society held on the 28th April, 1894, will be submitted for Confirmation as a Special

That the new Articles of Association althe purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be and the same are "hereby approved and that, such Articles "be and they are hereby adopted as the "Articles of Association of the Society to "the exclusion of all the existing Articles or Regulations thereof." By Order of the Board.

Becretary. Hongkong, 30 h April, 1894. . A. S. WATSON & CO. CIVITED.

JOTICE is hereby given that the NINTH MEETING of the COMP NY (since its Registration) will be held at the Hongroup Dis-BENSARY ON SATURDAY, the 19th instant. Shippers to CHINA for over half a Century. The Busy Man's Handbook. at TWELVE O'CLOCK Noon, for the purpose of receiving the REPORT of the GENERAL MANAGUR, together with a Statement of Account to the 31st December, 1893. The REGISTER of SHARES will be closed from WEDNESDAY, the 16th instant, till Tursday, the 22nd instant, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order. A. H. MANCELL. Hongkong, 9th May, 1894, HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED TOTIUE is hereby given that the OR-DINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the REGISTREED OFFICES: of the COMPANY. 33 and 40, QUEEN'S CAD CENTRAL, on TUESDAY, the 22nd metent, at Noon, for the purpose of requiving the Report of the Governing Directors together with a Statement of Account for the year ending 31st December, 1893. The T ANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 22nd i stant, both days inclusive.

HART BUCK. Secretary: Hongkong, 11th May, 1894 E BALMORAL GOLD MINING CO. LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION THE NEW BALMQRAL GOLD MINING CO TRANY LIMITED.

By Order.

OTICE is hereby given that all anclaimed SHARES In the NEW COMPANY have been disposed of by me, and those SHARRHOLDERS a the OLD COMPANY who would have been sutitled to the same are now requested to apply Analy to may for their proportion of the net proceeds arising from such sale.

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Hongkong, 8th May, 1894. DOUTINABLD

Manager.

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FOR THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager. FOR THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LI-JOHN THURBURN.

Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, 10th May, 1894. INSURANCE HOLIDAY. THE Undermentioned INSURANCE OF FICES will be CLOSED for the Transction of Public Business on MONDAY, the 14th instant (Whit Monday). JARDINE MATHESON & CO.

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Hongkong, 19th April, 1894. THE CO MERCIAL BANK OF ECOTIAND.

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May 11, HAYLOONG, British str., 783 Roach, Tameni 7th May, Amoy 8th, and Swatow 10th, General - Douglas Liappane & Co. May 11, Kinz, German str., 831, M. W. Krülz-feldt, Bangkok 3rd May, Rice and Techwood -MELCHERS & Co. Isy 11, Finenco, German etc., 752, J. Nissen, Newchwang and Chefco 5th May, Beans and

General.—CHINESE. May II, RIVERSDALE, British str. 1.311, Peck, Hongay 8th May, Coals .- JARDINE, MA-THESON & Co. May 11, CHEANG HOCK KIAN, British str., 955,

Runath, Straits 2nd May, General -Cut-May 11. JAPAN, Brilish str., 2,795, V. W. Hall, Shanghai Sth. May, General.—P. & O. S. Nay 11. GHAZEE, British str., 1.764, A. Scotland. Moji 6th May, Coal. - Dodwell, Carlill.

May Il., Gisena. Austrian str., 2.643, F. Cossovich, Trieste and Singapore 6th May, Gensrel.—Sander & Co.

LEAKANCES AT THE HYREOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. TITH MAY Drufesdale, British str., for Moji. Oheang Hock Kian, British str., for Amoy.

DEPARTURES.
[a24 Mag. 11, Activ. Danish str., for Hoibow. May II, GLENOULE, British str., for Shaughai. May II. HECTOR, British str., for Shanghai. May 11, Process, German ste, for Nagasaki.
May 11, Nurners, Germanetr, for Yokohama. May 11, PRESS EN. German etc., for Shanghai. May 11, Finelio, German str., for Canton.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Hailoong, str., from Tamsui, &c.-Mr. Cheong, and 180 Chinese. Per Kiel, str., from Bangkok.-127 Chinese. Per Japan, str., from Shanghai for Hongkong, -Messrs. W. Whitley, Murray, R. Fraser Smith and D. Landale, For London, -Mr. and Mrs. Tseng and child, and Mrs. Symonds and 3

Per Giela, sir., from Trieste, &c.-Messrs. Flesch and Asoh, and 2-8 Chinese. DEPARTED. Per Preussen, str., for Shanghai from Bremen.
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MARRIAGE. On the 5th instant, at the Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Rev. H. C. Hodges, M.A., and afterwards at H.B.M. s Consulate, MABEL MAY, youngest daughter of WILLOUGHUY POIGNAND, to HECTOR W. SAMTson, of Shanghai.

Hongkong, May 12rm, 1894.

have little to fear from it. Indeed it is said "be called upon to reform their drainge arthat in Yunnan, where the disease makes "rangements upon a somewhat more system. pean has ever been attacked by it; but then We think the public will agree with Mr. any general rule from their exemption. longer be tolerated. The public drains also and filth, we may take it that it is not like- proceedings at yesterday's meeting of the ly to invade households where these cou- Sanitary Board that some of them are so households, unless the uncleanliness prevail- main point to be borne in mind, how ing in the poorer quarters of the town ever, is the conservation of the water should spellute the atmosphere for a con- supply during future dry seasons. siderable distance. The measures recom- stead of giving-an unlimited with much difficulty, it is certain that vented. cleansing will be neglected unless special. The plugue is now with us, however,

eral cleansing as recorded in the official reports. At that time cholera prevailed in the neighbourhood and as a precautionary measure against the outbreak of an epidemio. here the Governor issued a preclamation the bili inst. calling upon all persons to thoroughly clean drains, down pipes, etc., and upon owners of property to lime white the interiors of all times at the Police Court. houses belonging to them. The Chinese Registrar-General's department, and

were communicated with through the on which special facilities were offered no To-morrow morning, between 9 and 10.30 less than 2,400 tons of rubbish were removed to compete in quality with the best English in excess of what was stated to be the normal holsting code pennant C. to convey men ashore ly hoping for a return to the constituencies of Great Britain. quantity, which, at 100 tons a day, would The purest ingredients only are used, and the bave amounted to 800 tons. That was the accumulation of many yours and it is hardly to be supposed that with the present more in the preliminary heats of the Yokohama effective conservancy arrangements there can be anything like such a large quantity of filth awaiting removal, but the amount is no doubt considerable and constitutes real and pressing danger to the health of the "actual cleausing of tenements, so far "as the Chinese tenants are concerned must be considered satisfactory, but the

"property proceeds but slowly."

From time to time after the issuing of any such proclamation as aforesaid, and while the same continues in force, the Board may issue by-laws, as they shall think fit for the prevention as far as possible. gious disease, and from time to time may revoke, is distinctly like a further fall renew, and aller any such by-laws. Any person committing any infraction of the abovementioned by laws shall be liable to a fine not exceed ing two handred dollars or to imprisonment not ex meding six months.

The board by such by laws may provide:—
1.—For the speedy and safe disposal of the dead. 2.- For house to house visitation. 3. For the disponsing and distribution of medicines. 4. For providing such accommodation and medical aid as may be required. 5. For the destruction of infected bedding clothing, or other articles. 6.—For the compulsory vacating of houses.

Board appear advisable for preventing or mitigat-

. Such by laws, after approval by the Governor in Council, shall be published in the Government Guzette. The board shall, through its officers, superintend the execution of such by laws, and shall act, and shall they were Swalow fishermen, whose junk in the in the execution of such by laws, or for executing the same, as the case may require,

the Board may enter at any ross mable time during the day or night and inspect any premises where they have ground for believing that any person has Macgregor and Co. a sample bottle of Saint recently suffered from or died of any such disease, or that necessity may otherwise exist for executing relation to such premises any of such by-laws.

When any such proclamation is in force, and upon any evidence that the Board may doem sufficient that to health, the Board shall have power to make such order as it shall see fit to abate such overcrowding and the householder, tanant; or compler of sunt premises who shall permit such overcrowding to contique after such order shall have been served on him. shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars distributing medicines for the plague, we hear for every day during which such overcrowding shall that plenty of stimulants and quinine have continue, and in default of payment he shall be liable been recommended by dectors who have had No snonymously signed communications that have to imprisonment for any period not exceeding three

> Mr. Francis, Dr. Ho Kai, and the Captain be just the thing for those who can afford it. Superintendent of Police were on Thursday We cannot lay any claim to an independent appointed by the Sanitary Board a Com. mittee, to draft by laws under the above drink. It should be classed as a cordial rather it is a question of so much importance that the 5 per cent, ad valorem," and there is a note ap- would not protect those goods. section, and yesterday they submitted a than an ordinary table wine. series of by-laws which were approved by the Board. These seem well calculated to most unfounded statements are being made, and The completion of an alternative cable be to exclude machinery imported by foreigners The following Committee was elected :-Hon. meet the special emergency and no doub Sanitary staff to give due effect to them.

ng for special temporary measures, should also be taken as a warning by the colony to so as to diminish the probability of future similar to or identical with that which under | in his last annual report, under the heading the name of the great plague of London of drainage works, stated that "a large procity in 1665. It is said to be due to poverty faity of Victoria are still in a condition pheric causes, and to be only slightly con- "calls for reform. I think that (the tagious or infectious. , Probably the Euro- "public sewers being now completed over a pean community, living under more healthy "large part of the city) the time has come conditions than the generality of the Chinese, | "when owners of property might reasonably its appearance almost every year, no Euro- "atic plan than has been in vogue hitherto." limited and it might be unsafe to deduce existence of defective bouse drains should no

As the Colonial Surgeon tersely puts it in one | he practised from the first. Had the supply of his minutes, "It might be well for the been limited to ten or twelve hours per diem Thursday night could with justice say that it kong. This matter has also attracted the attent to the part of the Chamber. A "Sanitary Board to direct that one of the as so in as the rainy season was over we " periodical clear outs of the refuse, etc., would not now be in our present predicament "should be made at onco." Are the "clear with the reservoirs practically empty. This is outs" periodical now? Some ten or eleven what must be done in future years, and the years ago special facilities were offered for a arrangements for fire extinction must be general cleansing and the result was so made in view of the fact that the supply from satisfactory that they were thereafter made | the mains will not be available for immediate quarterly, but with the augmented water use in the event of a fire occurring at night supply and the improvement in the scaveng- but will have to be turned on specially. The ding proprieties are marshalled, but the new River is a project which has occupied the attention on the part of the mar- be appointed to carofully watch such action as ing it seems to have been thought that there visitation of the plague may be looked upon were sufficient facilities for cleansing at any as a direct consequence of the water famine, and descends to the ground where the fallen live. this Colony more develop its commerce consequence of the water famine, and descends to the ground where the fallen live. this Colony more develop its commerce consequences of further depreciating silver, a certain amount of opposition exists, a correst Excellency in replying stated that the question time that might suit the individual con- which might have been prevented, because on the plant and the p venience of householders and the quarterly there was at the commencement of the dry general cleansing seems to have been allowed season enough water in the reservoirs to to drop. In periods of prolonged drought, carry us long past the present time had it however, when water can only be procured been used with economy and waste pre-

facilities are offered. At the present time it Energetic action is being taken to cope is certain that there must be a large accumu- with it, but the measures now decided lation of filth in many of the houses in the upon should have been initiated at least native quarters and a general cleansing five or six days ago, for it appears cershould at once be insisted upon. The tain that the plague had declared itself. Secretary to the Sanitary Board in his at that time. If the Government did no minute printed in the report of the proceed. know of it it ought to have known. As the ings of the Board at its meeting on Thurs. Hon. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART truly says. day says that in connection with general if a death is reported as having occurred to provide water boats along the Praya, and intuition that it occurred from placue, but feels justified in giving a larger supply from deaths having taken place from plague in the mains. The suggestion is a wise one, this colony special watchfulness ought to for without water there can be no offer have been exercised. The Colonial Surgeon tive cleansing. It may be interesting ought certainly to have known what was

here to note the result of the first gene going on at the Tung Wah Hospital,

on the 5th inst. death being due to natural

"Iwelve bouses were bornt down in the Seward load extension. Shang hat out the afternoon of

lintent to defrand Moiers Arthur and Co. wa discharged by Commander W. C. H. Han-

the Buthel flag, will call along de any vessel more in the arms of her own, sagerly but futile will send such quequivocal instructions to Can- every election platform when the next appeal to II a.m. service at St. Poter's (Seamen's) Church, reforming about 12 80. We note from a Japan contemporary tha

Mr. H. Pinkney, of the National Bank, competed

Spring Rogatta, boing defeated with L. K. M. Martin in the Senior (Champion) Pairs, Mr. Pinkney was a rowing men while in Heagkong. and we wish him better luck at his next attempt Save the Koba Chronicle :- Kim-ok-King's life and his sanguinary and will be presented community. No time should be lost, there. the theatrical world of Kobe at the Aioiza fore, in instituting a general cleansing. Innous toshi actors belonging to the company out was instinct with feeling, and exhibited a seem an anomaly that this Chamber should Chamber to report upon the desirability of coin-Theatre at Alcicho from the 15th inst. Two. On the occasion referred to the Secretary known as Kawakami will be among the east, of the Sanitary Board reported that " The and the performance is expected to be of a narticularly thrilling, not to say bloodthirsty

the Water Authority, our water supply in the deserving of praise. Miss Sallie Booth as usual perial interests, the former of which are jeopar. British coin, and it is strange, considering "work of lime-washing by the owners of reservoirs at Tytam and Pokfulam will be or very conscientously filled the role of Madams dized in our river steamboat service. The that the Hombay mint would undertake the seem to suppose, because half-a million of gallone factory Nichelle. The dresses of Mrs. Potter, it the Opium Ordinance which has recently taken cent., any hesitation should be manifested by A proclamation has been issued by the daily trickles into Tytam from the stream, and might be mentioned, were aplended, and exited place, and which removes a risk and a grievance the Government. Mexican dollars have been at Governor in Council declaring the existence proportionately to Pokinism, but the water level the admiration of one section of the admiration of the ad of an epidemic and bringing into force sec- down the conduits. After Monday therefore To-night She Stoops to Conquer will be and the relief affined is much appreciated. A vigorously upon the Governor on his return and lies, become almost a dead letter in the south London. tions 82 to 87 of the Public Health Ordin. the colony will be dependent on the supply presented, with the assistance of some anatoms, somewhat delicate question was raised by the was can rely upon His Excellency affording that of China. The China Association, London, which the hill streams farnish. Tuese, it may among whom we believe are Mr. Grace, Mr. not be generally known; are all connected by Crow, and Mr. Brady. pipes to the conduit and are estimated to supply the colony with water indefinitely to the extent of five gallons per head daily. Some rain fell HONGKING GENERAD CHAMBER or mitigation of such epidemio, endemio, or conta. yesterday, though not heavily, and the outlook

The steamer Glenartney, which arrived at Shanchai on the 5th inst from Hongong made the following report: When about four miles south of Chelang Point on the day of departure. observed to the eastward what proved, on bear Wood (Vice-Chairman), R. M. Gray, H. Hop. ing down towards it, to be a junk bottom up. wards, with three Chinese endeavouring to keep their hold on the wreck, their only means of doing so being by the rodder, which was sticking up above the sea-level. Beas were breaking C. Settos, A. MacConachie, C. J. Holliday, S. and washing over the hull continually. Deem G. Bird, B. L. Bathwara, R. M. Moses, D. R. -For any such matters or things as may to the ling it unsafe to lower a boat, proceeded slowly along-side of the wreck, and by means of lifebuoys and lines rescued the three man, who were in a very exhausted condition. After warm f od and clothing had been supplied. found out provide all such things as may be advisable for miti- late gale had been dismasted, and getting unmana cable in the trough of the sea capsized twenty hon a previously to their being picked Any officers or persons authorised in that behalf by up. The remainder of the erew were drowned.

We have received from Messrs, Caldbook Raphael wine, described as a natural red dessert wine, at once tonic, reviving, and digastive, rich persons than preparations of iron and quining. any premises are so overcrowded as to be injurious It is said to be "an excellent preservative in apidemic seasons," and unfortunately this is an enidemic season in Hongkong. Although Dr. Lowson said at the meeting of the Sanitary Board that he did not think it would be any use that plenty of stimulants and quining have ou provious occasions, and as you are aware their own to als, to the exclusion of foreigners, may be in the hands of

the disease are circulated. Yesterday, for in- is noteworthy. It-may be of much value is challenged. Since the report was published (Vice Chairman), Messes, S. Michaelson, A. G. numbers of Chinamen had fallen down dead possessions, but never until in the future more Minister which leaves no ground for doubt that T. Jackson, and D. Jones. set its house in order, in a sanitary sense, but be the result of an excited imagination, that the Telegraph Companies, with their capi. Ministers have protested energetically against Chamber (Applicate) although it is true that numbers of porsons have tal and most of their expenditure occurring in this infraction of the existing treaty, and have WE have now in our midst an epidemic visitations of epidemic disease of whatever Registrar-General received several gody sense. In fact the revenues from the East are one be held responsible for the loss or harm arising disease described on medical authority as description. The Sanitary Superintendent tional bits of information, but the majority corned, still a means would be found to most that therefrom. I am plot ud to note that during mitter :proved to be entirely incorrect. As a matter loss without imposing so much of it on neif the year a branch of the China Association has of fact, however, the disease does appear to have healthy opposition, such as we hope for, existed, been established here and a local committee has

"CAMILLE". AT THE CITY HALL.

hearts are, the dramatist has ample scope for to navigation of these great waterways. There instead of prohibiting the importation of Southern tariff has not been suggested. pathetic and sensational juspirations, and in do- is a well-founded hope that the Chinese Go- silver, or, as a minor measure, imposing a

picting such a life as Csmillo, the younger vernment may now see less objection to a heavy duty upon it which would have been Dumas had the whole gamet of emotions to step which could only tend to the ourich with the dark," has been established in Hongkong, which has play upon. He found a woman, nuhappily they ment and development of the countries India while closing her minter still allowed tended to bring the Association and the Chamare only too common, whose life was given up to thus opened to commerce with the outer world, silver to be admitted free, until, again vacillation berinto closer relationship, and it will be noticed pleasure and vice, but who nevertheless possessed and the active. British Minister at Peking may Ing. she imposed a 5 per cent. duty upon it, her from the annexed correspondence on various with the character for commercial integrity en.

the end be vindicated is fully satisfied.

The racing pony Dunvases died at Shangha council long conceal. She fails a viotim to con-, development of the district would ing them. It is improved this district would ing them. It is improved this district would ing them. sumplish and eventually dies nourishing the take pince. Districts in Yungai the enrichment of the Speld capitalists, it is Government. It was pointed out to the Government benchreda eds edire and

the puthos is so strong and the tragedy of 552 of Decennial Reports. The export the opinion of the Chamber having been asked Camille's life so great. Mr. Bellew as Devil of Cauton black tops amounted in 1882 to as to the desirability of legalising the Japanese

OF COMMERCE.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING. The annual general meeting of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce was held yesterday. Hon. J. J. Keswick, Chairman, presided. Among those also present were-Messrs. A. G. S. L. Durby, T. Jackson, J. Thurburn, T.

Y. V. Vernon, &c. The CHAIRMAN said-Gent lemen, a reference

love the banks towards the lover whom for his which now derive their foreign goods from the threatening her manufacturing supremacy by that the proposal promised to give employment Yangteze would infailibly draw them greatly making competition with her easy where before to, probably, a large amount of tourne , and in The author spares us nothing, and, if the cheapened from Canton Eastern Yunuan, too, it was difficult and it is depressing her agricul. other ways do good to the Colony, besides conplay is not to be an actual affront, consumate would be completely independent of the Red ture and is templing America to go on a silver ferring a certain benefit on both China and that must be observed to eliminate its object Rivay route It is impossible not to regret that basis in desperation, and that is a contingency Brazil by relieving the former, if even only to a The Crown Solicitor's place. Wong U. who tionship place Mrs. Potter successfed beyond so promising a growth should be viewed with within the bounds of probability India in small extent, of its reducidant population and their houses, kitchens, back yards, latrines, later of the long of distances of the later of the by the witchery of her art, in presenting to you are aware there has been for some consider, and is on the way to transfer her agricultural us a living and noble women, who rises able time repeated complaints against the Hoppor and manufacturing industries further East. We through the travall of sacrifice above her of Canton for the alleged grating of pro- in China who are not natives of the country do sin. The part is one which may be placed at ferential Oustoms does on tea and other produce not benefit as the Chinese do by the English and We learn from Japan papers that the London the summit of the realistic drams. Mrs. Petter, ourried by junks. The object of this discrimina- Indian mistake, on the doubtary we suffer, as In rio Company are, after a brief stay at Kobe first as the unfortunate surrounded by the tion is, of course, not far to seek. By these prefer- do our English and Indian follow traders, by in and Yokohama, proceeding per C. P. steamer voluptuousuess of a gay life, then as the ardent ential duties produce leaves and is the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and this Chambelland and the depreciation of our assets, and the chambelland and the depreciation of our assets and the depreciation of our assets and the chambelland and the depreciation of our assets and the chambelland and the depreciation of the depreciatio due course the Secretary of the Sanitary excellent business at Yokobama.

Secretary of the Sanitary excellent business at Yokobama. ing herself, for her lover's sake, from the peace. Maritime Customs, Cases are difficult to prove, the trade of the Cast. I hope that we are almost

> was scarcely less successful. As the impassioned 121,933 piculs, in 1835 to 130,571 piculs, and you, a mosting was convened in July last despatched a special mission to report on the lover of the first two acts he showed an intensity since that year it has steadily declined until at which a resolution was adopted favourable

reference to Appendix H. it will be seen what were adopted nem. con. steps it was considered by your Committee expedient to adopt. Various other matters dealt solution to propose we will proceed with the busiwith during the year I may past over as ness of the meeting, which is the electing of the agement to proceed in their efforts to obtain the sufficiently explained in the report -- for instance | Committee "anggested alterations to bills of lading," "fees The meeting then proceeded to ballot for the benefit and develop trade, and be arged that no to special jurors," "import and export statis- | Committee. ties," " proposed a klibition in Hougkong, " me- Mr. J. D. Hor Hison-Might I, sir, be perpius, D. Jones, H. H. Joseph, E. Mackintosh, teorlogical reports and Honokong Observa- mitted to fill up the time while the votes are be St. C. Michaelsen, Hon, T. H. Whitehead (Com- tory," "signalling commission;" and the next ing counted by making a suggestion with regard mittee), F. Henderson (Secretary); Messrs. J. subject on which I need remark is the appoint to the transit pass question P I think the Com-Kramer, Mon. E. R. Belilios, P. Sathle, P. ment of a permanent Committee to act with the mittee might bear in mind whon this question panies that notwithstanding the positive Harbour Master. I expect many useful offices comes up again to try to get these transit pisses assurances given to Her Majesty's Minister from such a Committee, which His Excellency the issued in such a way that it may be the foreign at Peking by the Chinese Government Sassoon, F. Seip, H. Stolterfoht, H. E. Bamjee, Governor readily appointed and left the select goods and imports that are protected and not tion of its members to the Chamber. I hope in necessarily the foreign importer only. This is Arnold, B. Byramies. Hoa. C. P. Chater, A. time this Committee may develop into a harbour a very important distinction, and if the transit Coxon, J. J. Francis, Q.C., J. D. Hutchison, W. board. which the growing importance of the pass covers the foreign imports it is much wider R. Lorley, H N. Moly, G. Sharp, Ho Tung, J. shipping frequenting the port renders desirable Such a board will, at no distant time, be welcomed by the Government as an aid in framing The CHAIRMAN-I think I may say in reply to the report which your Committee now have to regulations essential to the promoting, safe- that the Committee will give the matter their submit to you will furnish evidence that a num guarding, and general administering of the most careful attention and consideration to see placed at an advantage over shippers by foreign her of important subjects have engaged their great shipping interests in these waters. A how far they can promote the views you have attention during the year 1893, and that a good most important subject, not immediately affect. expressed. There is no doubt with regard to not weaken the contention that privileges are deal of work has been done in one direction and ing Hongkong, perhaps, but directly affect transit passes that there is a considerable amount still granted to the former to the detriment of another, although many of the matters remain ing the interests of the mercantile commun. of misapprehension as to what is possible and steamship owners. Though the assurance above atill unconcluded and will require the consider mity at large, is the restriction placed on what is not, and there certainly is very great referred to is a direct admission on the part of the in tannin and more efficacious for debilitated ation of the new Committee. The first subject | the importation of machinery at the treaty ports, point in what Mr. Hutchison says with regard

Sund w Cargo-Working Ordinance, which will that your Committee deemed it desirable to ad- protection of the holder of the transit pass. Convention which has so often been before as made by the Chinese to retain the business in tected independently of whoever the transit pass ordering a prohibition, which the steamboat Committee must always keep it before them, pended to the effect that even machinery for The CHARRMAN-I will promise that the With reference to the plague the wildest and obtaining any remission of the charges made, duty. It is impossible therefore that any effort | tion in all its bearings.

The repulation which Mrs. Potter and Mr. the commercial communities in China. From coinage of silver, the disastrone results of which ly made use of Bellew have won during their risit, in many Mr. von Brandt encouraging views were ex are still witnessed on all sides, and must continue

arduous and difficult roles, must have been im- pressed regarding the opening of the West to be felt for many a day to come. To approach

mended for coping with the disease are the at the commencement to be followed the spirit and soul of the piece. Notwith- with every safeguard against a buses, these men which proved unobtainable, and conveyed the im- British territory only, will prove a valuable all the question of shareholders liability, and have isolation of the sick and a general cleansing. by a famine at the end, economy ought to standing the essentially revolting element in may emigrate from here. If such regulations pression to the public that they would adhere to territory only will prove a valuable all the question of shareholders liability, and have isolations by a famine at the end, economy ought to standing the essentially revolting element in may emigrate from here. If such regulations pression to the public that they would adhere to territory only will prove a valuable all the question of shareholders liability, and have the life history of a character like Camille, are not devised the emigration will take place such a policy but with the vaciliation which has Saigon. no one who wilnessed the performance of from adjoining ports to the detriment of Hong. Characterized their whole policy they subsequent. The Eastern Extension Australasia and China sidered of sufficient general interest to merit indicated a deprayed propensity of the stage or a of the Chinese authorities, who through the specified restrictions. Although as I have said, have recently intimeted that, in consequence of communication on the subject was sent to Her pandering to the provient interest of the an- Imperial Maritime Costoms have recently issued | the Indian floorers were in a position of great em | the further depreciation in the value of silver. Britannio Majesty's Minister, Peking, pointing dience. It is a play of ineffable endness, full of a notification pointing out that it is forbidden to barns ment and vigorous measures had be resultant beavy loss on remittances and but that, although the attitude assumed by the genuine pathos and passion, and so sharply are collect coolies for emigration anywhere except I think the general character to other telegraph adminis. Chinese shareholders towards the bank was not the moving figures silhouetied on the dark back at treaty ports. It is to be boped that the measure of closing the mints was one trations, they have been reluctantly compelled to a matter that presented any opening for interground that it excites our horror, and pity, and terms of the treaty, which possibly may soon be hastily adopted the far reaching consequences of increase the cost of messages to the extent of one ference on the part of the Chamber, it was

a women's heart which could be so touched by a be relied upon to urge this forward murch on cause she found that her policy was offering a subjects that both at home and abroad oppornoble love as to lift her out of the atmosphere the Imperial authorities. As I have arisen for the exercise of joint suggested attendance in EILL OF LADING of her environment and dedicate all her actions remarked, H.E. Mr. von Brandt strongly arged of rupses and to supply the people with a token, action undertaken with the object of advancing to the idol of her affection. The insistence of upon the Chamber the importance of pressing | inndequate it is true to meet Imperial taxation, commercial interests in the East. the public that virtue and constancy should in the proposal, which it was proposed to do away with a good prospect of success. Closely linked of the country, and driving the Government This is the scheme of the play. A young with this question of the opaning of the West rupes to the commercial centres where their and beautiful girl of the working class River is that of transit passes, in regard to vest abandance produced that decline in their is taken up by an aristocrat and surrounded by which I regret to say matters practically stand gold value which the Committee availed of His Excellency be. Chamber with the view of co-operation. If the the opulence and luxury and dissipations which where they did a year ago, and although we hear bad sought to arrest by miking them tokens ing in Hougkony, on his way to Europe, to off r adoption of a uniform bill of lading for general usually are associated with such relations, fewer complaints it is because fower passes are for gold. As is well known the consequences him on behalf of the Chamber it congratula are is ever arrived at it will probably only be Armand Daval, a young man with little means applied for This Chamber still urges the to the trade of India have been disastrous, im- liens on his retirement after a long and brilliant settled by agreement among the representatives of his own, falls in love with her, declares the observance of treaty privileges in this respect ports were encouraged, experts discouraged, experts discour fervour of his passion, which she in her heart re- and can depend upon receiving every assistance of millions of rupoes lost to the opium revenue, obligations for his successful end-avours in the therefore did not appear to the Committee that cleansings in former times it was usual from fever it is impossible to know by turns. To ennoble that love and prove its genuine from the great exportation of yarn diminished by danse of commerce which, though naturally more local discussion could materially advance the ness the surrenders her gay life and her wealth your Chairman has lately received an important one third. In 1.92 China and Japan together immediately directed towards the interests of views of the Colonial objectors. and lives in retirement with Duvel until his is communication bearing on this very subject, imported from India 411,000 bales of yarn, in his own country, had not failed also to benefit ho suggests that this practice should be in view of the state of things prevailing at ther beseeches her, for the bonour of his family, but the great pare for the gr returned to, unless the Water Authority Cauton and the rumours that prevailed as to to renounce the son. Out of the opening of the West River, which would ren. months of this year the agricult in Hongkong ber heart she does this and assumes a base der transit passes in some degree less important. Bay been only 60,000 bales A scheme for Chinese emigration to Brazil, should be altered to \$10 per day, an anisodment and mercenary character to liberate him from In that excellent book published by the Im- in the first four months of 1893. I do not wish under the Government to that effect was proposed by the Houserable his infatuation. She leaves him and lives perial Maritime Customs. The Decemnial Back to make my remarks on this subject unduly and lives objectionable. I. H. Whitehead at the Legislative Council

ful atmosphere of their life to the old revolling but there is such a certainty of their existence in sight of redemption and that the subject of a dook, the steam lanuch Dayering, carrying existence, and lastly as the dying woman, once that it is hoped the authorities at Peking ratio between gold and sliver will be a plank in former happiness, achieved a great triumph British Minister that the grievance may at Now let me say a word as regards our local The andience on Thursday was kept spell last cease. As an authority on this vexed currency. It beloved the bankers and morbound by Mrs. Potter's marvellous personation, question I may quote from the report of chants of Hongkong to see that there should be and particularly in the last two acts in which the Commissioner of Costoms at Conton page no falling off in the circulating medium, and

f power which carried the audience with him. In 1890 it was returned as 63.573 plouls. In to the proposal. For various good reasons, n the hour, too, of Daval's bitter disappoint 1891 it was only 25,664 piouls according to our bowever, which it is nunocessary now to ment he was completely successful, and his ten, returns, but this was because the bulk of that enumerate, it was considered prudent not to derness when with the dying Camille in his arm; year's teas was shipped to Hongkong by junk press the question further at the moment he understood all the love she bore him was instead of by steemer; they security a reduction One of the reasons however. I may say was most maying and natural. The part through of about 25 per cent. in expert duty." It may that a Special Committee appointed by this thoroughly artistic appreciation of the author's object to Chinese cheapening their articles of ling a British dollar of equal weight and fineonception.

On opert while increasing the burdens on imports, ness with the Mexicus, were entirely in favour. The min t parts were all admirably filled as by doing so they are acting in the true spirit of it, and reported to that effect. It had been Mr. Edgar as the Comte de Varville, Mr. Rus of political economy, but I think this view enractly hoped that in view of the sparoity of bility of opening the river to foreign trade, sell Crawford as Gaston, Mr. Arthur Bawtree as of the case may be dismissed when it is remaindollar the Home Government and also to endeavous to impress upon it the On Monday next, according to Mr. Crook. Gustave, and Mr. Harding as Duvel père, are all bired we are here to further local as well as Im- would before this time have sanctioned the honsted. They will not be dry as some people Prudence, and Mrs. Crofton was a very satist public will view with satisfaction the change in coinage at a seigniorage of 11, or perhaps 1 per Bank of Chica in its letter to the Chamber, touch- assistance which he has always readily accorded addressed a similar letter to the Foreign Office, ing the non-payment by Chinese shareholders of in every project to which this Chamber has in and both that As existion and this Chamber calls fulling due on their shares. The multer was vited his support. (Applause.) have been assured that the matters therein recome the Chamber could not take up excepting in On the motion of the Charman seconded by ferred to will receive due consideration, and that

so far as a principle was involved, and from a Hon. D. R. Bentaros, the report and accounts Her. Majesty's Minister to Peking will give The CHAIRMAN-Unless any one has any re-

in range than if it moraly covers the foreign

mentioned in the report is a modification in the and a reference to the correspondence will show to the protection of goods and not necessarily the ential duties in the past, and the fact that junkbe appreciated by those requiring to apply for dress the British Minister therequent it. At may remind Mr. Halchison of the fact that working permits which at times they find it und the present time there is a great development of the Ohefoo Convention specially provides in necessary to make use of. You will again find co tin manufacturing at Shanghai. Wuchang, one clause, that whosever may be the holder, in the report the question of the Telegraph and elsewhere, and a not unnatural effort is being whother European or Chinese, the goods are pro-

been recommended by doctors who have had this Chamber has always strenuously opposed and the only means of satisfactorily doing Mr. HUTCHISON—I know that, but the Consequent olds this would be by refusing admission of spin-sent at Canton, Mr. Alabaster, has frequently axercises the same effect as quinine it ought to ingraph us of the door of escape from the ning and weaving machinery by foreign india most distinctly stated that he would not lift his somewhat ouerous burdens on the China trade viduals or firms. There is hardly an article little finger unless the goods actually belonged which the present telegraphic tariff imposes mentioned in the tariff appended to the treaties to the holder of the transit pass. It was the There does not seem now to be any further step which has the duty payable upon it so precisely habit in Hongkong for the goods of several which your Committee can usefully take, but stated. The tariff simply states "machinery merchants to be covoced by one pass, but he may be able to have this glaring infringement

and act if there is the smallest prospect of Government purposes is subject to the same greatest care will be taken to consider the questhe most exaggerated accounts of the spread of tween Singapore and Hongkong via Labour en be successfully sustained the moment it J. J. Keswick (Chairman). Mr. E. Mackintosh

everything possible will be done by the stance, we heard from one authority that to have a line connecting only with British a reply has been received from the British Wood, H. Hopping, H. H. Joseph, R. M. Gray. in the streets, notably in Bouham Strand but land lines are constructed between China and he will insist on the privileges of the treaty The CHAIRMAN -I have to express my acknow-The present outbreak, however, while call—this proved to be utterly without foundation. Europe can we hope for that healthy competition the honour you have done me by complained of, even in the amended Ordinance, nother report was that the whole of the re- tion which will lead to economy in the enormous Doyen of the Diplomatic body, through the asking me to be Chairman for the current year sidents in Tank Lane had left their houses and telegraphic correspondence which the trade of Senior Consul General at Shanghai, has informed It will always be my poids and pleasure to do that the place was deserted. This also turned China entails. It is perhaps only fair to admit the Chamber of Commerce there that the my utmost to promote the interests of this covered by a permit from the Opium Farmer, "his concluded the meeting.

The following is the report of the Com-

The inconvenience attending the recovery of got some hold in the Taipingshan district and During the year your Committee had the privi- been appointed at whose head sourdeservedly no. fees for Sanday permits applied for but very heavy penalties are attached, including proved so fatal to the inhabitants of that portion of the Chinese houses in the does seriously threaten an alarming condition of lege of an interview with His Excellency Mr. von pulse fellow-resident Mr. Thomas Jackson. Some subsequently rendered nonecessary, was brought confiscation of the vessel on arrival at Canton things. Twelve deaths occurred at the Tung Brandt, who after a long and brilliant career idea of the whole to the motion of the Chamber by Messes. Mel for having amongled opinm on board, which the Wah Hospital yesterday and an isolated case at was retiring from the Diplomatic Service of his correspondence attached to this report and will chera & Co. On the matter being referred atmost vigilance on the part of the company's and filth, to at see from chemical or atmos- which, from a sanitary point of view, a house in Queen's Road West. Numerous cases country and to whom the Committee were glad by better shown in the account of its own pre- to the Government, His Excellency the Go officers, and a special preventive service had to have an opportunity of offering the acknow- one ing, which will probably soon be published, vernor, availing of the power vested in him failed to prevent being shipped. ledgments of the Chamber for those services I now come to the most important feature of the Ordinance, courteensly, so far relaxed the This and other difficulties attending the workwhich as Diven of the Diplomatic Boly at year, namely, the monetary revolution caused by regulations that the payment of fees is now ing of the Ordinance were brought to the notice Peking he had from time to time rendered to the closing of the Indian mints to the free only required after the permits have been actual of the local Government, but the Governor

The Foreign Office addressing the China As currency of the present lease of the Opium Farm. mensely increased by the performance of Dumas' River, to which I will hereafter refer Your the subject fairly it must at the outset be ad- sociation, London, with regard to the above con- A petition addressed to Her Majesty's Chief "Camille" at the City Hall on Thursday even. Committee had hoped that the time had arrived mitted that the Indian Government was in a vention, stated that in the opinion of Her de. Secretary of State for the Colonies by the ing. For some unaccountable reason the house when the Home authorities might regard position of very grave embarassment, requiring justy's advisers the Russian and Chinese Govern- representatives of the steamboat companies was not by ary means a large one, though per- with more favour the carefully regulated emi - radical changes to be made in order to adjust means a large one, though per- with more favour the carefully regulated emi - radical changes to be made in order to adjust means a large one, though per- with more favour the carefully regulated emi - radical changes to be made in order to adjust means a large one, though perthe number of Europeans in Yunnan is Ram that the time has arrived when the haps in enthusiasm the packed audiences of gration of Chinese through the Colony, and its finances, and a committee was applied to within their rights in completing the agreement entertained, and instructions have been issued previous nights have not been more warm, the matter being of so much importance to the enquire into which they had entered. The ratification to repeal sections 38 and 39, and to afford in other Beyond doubt this is far and away the best play general prosperity and to the shipping frequent. An immense amount of syidence was taken by of the convention has for years not with apposi- directions the relief sought for by the petitioners. which we have yet seen these talented artistes ing the port; His Excellency the Governor that committee from well qualified persons the tion from the Chamber, but in view of the above Action on the Shanghai CHINESE SHARE-The disease, however, being one of poverty require attention, since it seems from the in. "Camille" is a piece in which none but stars readily afforded all the support he could by de committee made their recommendation to the In- opinion it would appear that further action on HOLDERS IN THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, of the higher magnitude dare appear, a piece puting an officer to visit Brazil subject to the dian Government, which acted upon it at once, and its part would now necessarily be ineffectual. redolect of the lower life on the bonlevards, and approval of the Colonial Office, but for some on the laying of a deplicate cable between Sin In a letter addressed to the Chamber by the

breathing with such voluntuousness, as would reason which has not been published the currency on gapore and Hongkong, wid Labran, which has manager of the Bank of China, Japan, and the ditions are absent, as they are in European | choked that they cannot be flushed. The descend to brutal sansuality in the hands of those been no disposition to relax the restrictions, and a gold basis but, be it remarked, without gold. for some time been in contemplation by the Straits, Limited, Hongkong, attention was called whose art is not sufficient to properly robe the we must wait for developme its which may make The standard value of the rapee was supposed Eastern Extension Australians and China Tele. to the action certain Chinese shareholders in play. The situations through five intensely emigration through this harbour practicable to be fixed at Is 4d but subsequent explanations graph Chinpany, is now in course of being car. Shanghai had taken in combining to resist paymoving acts demand the genius of such as Mrs. There is an enormous population on the main. from the Secretary of State announced that this ried out, and has already been successfully laid must of overdee calls on shares. Though this Potter and Mr. Bellew to render them palatable land adjoining auxious to seek more attractive and figure was intended as a maximum, not a minimum as far as Labuan. This line, on the occasion of controversy, which had arisen between the bank and lift the audience above the mere words and profitable fields of labour, and it will be regrettable value. The ludian Government declined the interruptions, or in the event of political come and its shareholders, was not a matter in which suggestions of the author to an appreciation of if in due time means cannot be devised by which, afforment of Council Bills under a minimum plications arising, connecting as it will with the Chamber could in any way intervene, it raised

not merely a fescinated interest. This is pro- negotiated between China and Brazil, will be which were improperly understood and inade third to Inde-China Dutch Indies, Siam, Straits too important to be allowed to pass altoperly what the portrayal of such life ought to such as to form the basis on which Chinese emi- quately provided against and must always reflect Settlements, and Australia. Against this gether unnoticed. It was suggested to His gration can be conducted from Hongkong as severely on the abilities and judgment of the advance the Committee has thought it necessary. Excellency that as the question directly Our dramatists have walked for a long while well as at the treaty ports, under canotion of Indian statesmen who framed and carried it on to protest, as illiberal treatment of the Come affected other foreign institutions in China, it upon the ordered paths where the forbid- the local authorities. The opening of the West with so much vacillation and doubt as to whither panies constituents which cannot fail to excite seemed desirable that a consular officer should school, which is gradually but steadily gaining tion of this Chamber from time to time for over given by persons who gave evidence before the captile community and the public generally in will, no doubt, be taken by the hank in defence in favour. leaven these well trodden highways 30 years, and there is nothing that could benefit measure was adopted of what would be the Colony, particularly as in the North, where of its own interests in the Chinese courts. His

CHINA ASSOCIATION. Since last report a branch of the Association

OR OF GERMANY TO CHINA. &c., &c.

CHINESE EMIGRATION TO BEAZIL.

affording the latter a much needed supply of suitable agricultural labour. The proposal was Layourably entertained by His Expellency and an officer was specially deputed to visit Eugland with the intention that he should also proceed to Brazil, but for reasons which have not transpired the proposal appears to have been unacceptable to the Home authorities, and the officer appointed has recurred to mongkong with his mission for the present, at last, apparently, unaccomplished. It is of the utmost importance that emigration from Southern, China should pass through Hongkong and the Chamber wil not fail to give its aurhest attention to the sr jest on every available occasion.

THE WEST RIVER AND GOODS UNDER

TRANSIT PASSES. In agitating for the opening of the West River to foreign commerce the Chamber only re-opened a question which has at various times occupied its attention since 1870, when it possible expansion of trade in Southern China by way of the West River and its tributaries. and although the reperted representations of the Chamber to the Home authorities were favourably entertained, no material results were at any time arrived at and it was decided to again press the master on their attention. letter was addressed to Her Majesty's Chief Secretary of State for Foreign Affirs on the 31st July in which His Lordship was asked to urge upon the Chinese Government the desiramutual benefits which might naturally be ex-

protect to follow the adoption of such a course. In connection with this subject the opporanity was availed of to bring to His Lordship's notice that the right of forwarding foreign goods into the interior under the protection of. them special attention. On the occasion of His Excellency Herr von Brandt's interview with the Committee be afforded them much encouropening of the West River, which would greatly stone should be left unturned to promote the

object in view. HOPPO OF CANION AND PREFERENTIAL DUTIES Complaints have again been preferred by the ropresentatives of the river steamboat com-"that the preferential treatment in regard to Customs dues of junks employed in carrying tea &c., would in future be strictly prohibited," such concessions in daties on cargo so carried are still allowed. It is necessarily alm st impossible owing to the manner in which these concessions are arranged, to prove irrefutably that shippers of cargo by native craft are vessels; but the absence of positive proof does Chinese Government of the granting of prefercarried tea can still be bought on more advantageous terms than steamer carried tea is more than presumptive evidence that such concessions continue to be made, the action of the Peking authorities does not appear to have got beyondi. representatives contend has never been put in

torce in Canton. The contravention of the treaty in this respect is not confined to the shipment of tea. alone, but, in like manner, various articles are sent by junk under, presumably, differential duties, and it is hoped the Minister at Peking of foreign rights redressed at an early date. THE PREPARED OPIUM ORDINANCE:

The defective working of this Ordinance in

its original form, first referred to in 1:89, bas again been brought to the notice of the Chambor. Since that time fresh enactments have been made, but the representatives of the river steam boat companies affirm that these have not afforded any relief from the grievances to which they formerly called attention. The defect most was that no provision had been made for the confiscation of opium found on board ship but not recorded on the ship's manifest. The profection given to opium covered by these permits rendered smuggling comparatively safe to those engaged in it-but greatly increased the risk to steamboat owners, who were in constant danger of heing charged with the infringement of the Chinese Customs regulations, to which

expressed himself, at that time, as unable to recommend any alterations, at least, during the

in Chine with Chinese shareholders, it was conderstood that a test case would shortly be brought before the court at Shanghai, adding, "I may add that the question is one respecting which I do not see my way to interfere officially, but that I have unofficially represented to the vamen the importance of the decision in connection

CLAUSES. Certain suggested alterations in bill of lad-WON BRANDS MINISTER PLENIPOTENTIARY with clauses which in the opinion of the Sydney FROM HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY THE EMPER- Chamber, unduly limited the responsibility of shipowhers, was brought to the notice of this FEES TO SPECIAL JURORS.

toved by the Chinese in general."

It having been represented to the Chambel that the present remuneration of \$10 per case with a lever of more ample means and ports, the Commissioner of Customs at Canton Tong, but I sunnot refrain from saying that it festures which characterised the coolie carrying meeting of 15th March to " The Jury Consolidout of the money thus obtains I she pays states that "The experience of 1881 seems to is a marvel that the British people are so allow trade of former years appeared to the Committee stion (Amendment) Ordinance "Objections to Duval's debts and saves his property. But the indicate with certainty that under the unities the indicate with certainty that under the unities the indicate with certainty that under the unities the indicate with certainty that under the indicate with certainty that under the unities the indicate with certainty that under the indicate with certainty that under the unities of encouragement, and it readily the amendment were raised by the Attorney. bideounces and hollowness of this life Camille restricted Francit Pats privileges very startling precisting gold and depresenting go

of the representative of the Chamber it was lost by a small majority. IMPORT AND EXPORT STATISTICS. Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Colonies has adopted the views of the Chamber. as expressed at a public meeting of members held last year in connection with a then proposed. of the Colony. In addressing the Governor on invited to join the Committee. 12th September last, his Lordship writes-"The question has been considered by me ju connection with communications from other colonies and Mr. G. H. Potts have resigned, and the Colonial Strong of the chought antil to-day. on the subject * . Toonour in your view following names have been added to the high the number of deaths montioned included that it would not be practicable to adopt in of members; Messre, John D. Humphrey & four that he reported the previous day. He mental Committee."

The recommendation made by the Departmental Committee of the Colonial Office was "the obties, however desirable, could not be obtained but log Corporation. by the adoption of measures certain to very seriously impade the trade of the Colony. PROPOSED EXHIBITION FOR HONGKONG.

The attention of the Chairman was called to a proposal that had been mooted to have an Exhibition at Hongkong, for which a site would probably have been found on the Prays Reclamation, and in connection with which it was thought a guarantee fund of \$100,000 would have been forthcoming. The Committee though disposed to approve of the scheme thought the promoters had underestimated the difficulties attending such a venture, and was of opinion that if the Exhibition was to be of sufficient importance to be worthy of considerati n the proposed guarantee fund, if raised would be inadequate. The project appears to have been, obandoned, at least for the present." METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS AND HONGKONG

OBSERVATORY." The question of storm warnings as issued by the Observatory has again been brought forward. and in a letter addressed to the Chamber by the agents of the principal steamship companies, it the prompt and wide-spread publication of same. jury to the traduct the two Colonies I have etc. The Government agreed to the suggestion, and the Committee was appointed; but it is to be regretted that, for reasons stated in the appeard correspondence, these gentlemen found themselves under the necessity to resign, as their practical experience would, no doubt, have enabled them to make valuable suggestions in the matter of supplying the particular information bad been made were approved in the following, the water supply? required without incurring eny but a trifling form; addition to the expenditure of the department. SIGNALLING COMMISSION.

At a meeting of the Legislative Council on 2nd June the Honourable T. H. WHITEHELD (representative of the Chamber) moved that-"A small commission be appointed to investigate and report on the working of the Gap Rook Lighthouse, the telegraph connection therewith, and the method of reporting and signaling generally the arrival of ships and steamers in the waters of the Colony." A commission was appointed by the Gover nor, and the Chamber informed that the following gentlemen had been asked and lind consented to serve thereon:-Messrs. F. A Alford, G. B. Dodwell, H. Hoppins, H. I. Joseph, and J. H. Scott. The different points put forward for the consideration of the commission were carefully investigated at several meetings, and the result of its enquiries is clearly set forth in the annexed report, published in the Government Gazette of 4th November. Severa valuable suggestions, as will be seen from the report, were made with regard to all improved system of signalling the arrival of vessels, withont entailing any very material increase of

A PERMANENT COMMITTER TO LOT WIT THE HARBJUR MASTER. The above commission in the interests of shipping considered it desirable that the Govern ment should appoint a permanent Committee of three representatives of shipping interests, who when necessary, could be consulted by the Harbour Muster, and would confer with him respecting matters they wished to bring to hi notice. This proposal was approved of by the Governor, who was good enough to refer the selection of members to the Chambers. Mesers George B. Dodwell, H. H. Joseph and J. H.

South were nominated, and their election may perhaps prove to be a step in the direction of the creation of a Harbour Board for the protect tion of shipping interests, which the Chamber mas so long advocated, ERECTION OF PIERS AND WHARVES COMMITTEE

The Chamber was asked by the Governor to nominate two members, to be associated with the Registrar General and the Harbour Master on a Committee to consider and report on the subject of the erection of Piers and Wharve on the Praya Reclamation, and the conditions under which permits for the erection of such structures should be issued. Mr. E. Mackintosh and Mr. H. H. Joseph were nominated, and their election approved by His Excellency OBSTRUCTIONS ON THE IMPORTATION OF

MACHINERY INTO CHINA. The subjoined notification having reference to the importation of machinery was posted at the offices of the Chinese Customs, and is pro- jug snot visitation be shall forthwith take steps their lower ends, the last hundred yards or so ! I sumed to have been published with the souction to have the same thoroughly cleaned out and have been told that many of the main sowers in and approval of the Imperial Government of disinfeeled by the Sanitary Board staff or by the western end of the town are at their lower H. & C. Bakory

attempt to impose restrictions on an article the and all persons attacked, or affected by the dis-Chica, pointing out that the publication of the notification was entirely irregular, and that any therein would amount to a direct violation of with any person or body in any way affected by ber with an assurance that there will be no doubt then returned to the owner or owners thereof fully maintained.

(Here follows notification, THE CLOSING OF THE INDIAN MINTS AND THE IMPOSITION OF AN IMPORT DUTY ON SILVER INTO INDIA

tries, that they necessarily have closely accupied time to time direct the attention of the members of your Committee. opinion that it would be a grave mistake to either any person who has died of the disease shall have some will perhaps tell the Board the result of

THE JAPANESE SILVER XEN AND THE to the propriety of making the yealegal tender ing, of any duly qualified medical practitioner venicines if the site selected were accessible by Older Malwa in the Colony, it was, the question being of very any house or house are in such an insanitary launch, as then the same arrangements as re- Old at Malwa. resolution favouring the legalisation of the yen habitants shall be removed therefrom to some hospital should be erected at the western end Benares [New] ... \$630

At this meeting Mr. T. H. Whitehead moved Sanitary Board with such articles of forniture, ground at the other side of the Police Station -"That a Special Committee be appointed by clothing, bedding, So as in the opinion of the should be used as a cometery. the Committee of the Hongkoog General Cham. Board, may safely be removed, and such premises The meeting then terminated. ber of Commerce to enquire into and report on Hull after being disinfected and cleansed as the desirability in the interests of trade of the hereinbefore provided, be closed and shall not coinage of a British dollar equal in weight and again be occupied by any person without a tioeness to the Mexican dollar for circulation in special order from the Boards the Colony concurrently with the dollars which 11. All latrines, public and private, shall be are now legal tender," which motion was noa- thoroughly cleaned and disinfected twice daily nimously approved of and your Committee in to the satisfaction of the Board, and the owner accordance therewith forthwith appointed the or manager thereof thall keep on the premises following gentlemen :- Messrs. J. J. Keswick, adequate quadtities of quick line, and shall cause Buroup His Honoup, Mr. E. J. Acknoyd T. Jackson, C.P. Chater, J. Thurburn, and T. to be thrown into each bu ket or other receptable H. Whitehead as a Special Committee, who re- after use a small quantity of such line. All ported in favour of the column of a British woodwork in such lattines shall be washed and dollar, and pointed out the reasons which ren- cleaned with water to which some disinfectant dered it inexpedient to legalise the Japanese supplied by the Board has been added. This was a motion by the Comptoir National

yen here at present. Chambers of Commerce in London, Singapore, the powers or authorities vested in or exercisable Pleanes Company as The height of mean association and the China Association of the Board under sections 32 to 38 both in atanding in the names of four other persons. It is to be hoped the Colonial Surgeon, the Captain Superior of the motion Mr. The leights are referred as 1.67 feet above zero.

The Colonial Surgeon, the Captain Superior Master, and in support of the motion Mr. The leights are referred and rendered in the rables marked with a minus sign (-). The Colonial Surgeon, the Captain Superior Master, and the first and the powers of four other persons to the lights are referred to which a marked with a minus sign (-). The Colonial Surgeon, the Captain Superior Master, and the powers of four other persons to the leights are referred to which a marked with a minus sign (-). The Colonial Surgeon, the Captain Superior Master, and the Mr. Creamy and the powers of four other persons to the leights are referred to which a minus sign (-) are below for the motion to tendent of Police, and Mr. J. Francis J.J. Francis J.J. Francis D.C. finatropted by Mr. Creamy are below for water ordinary spring likes and the last observations and the leights are referred in the resident and the last observations and the last observation and the last observation and last observation and the last observation and last observation and last observation and the last observation and last observation and last observation and last observation and the last observation and la Home authorities will give their sanction to tendent of Police, and Mr. J. Francis J.J. Francis

delay as the scaroity of the Mexican dollars as been served ingrassing. Covernor in Council.

During the past year Messrs Chater & Vernon from plague. of China Limited.

would have met with ready acceptance from the credit of the Chamber was \$23.03 exclusive of Police Court

THE PLAGUE.

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SANITARY BOARD. A special meeting of the Sanitary Board was hold vesterday afternoon. There were present Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, President; Dr. B. C. Avres, Colonici Surgeon: Mr. F. H. V Captain Superintendent of Police: Mr. J Francis Q.C. Mr. J. D. Humphreys, and Mr. A. Ram, Secretary. Dr. Lawson, Acting Super intendent of the Civil Hospital, and Crook, Saultary Surveyor and Water Authority, were in attendance to furnish the Board with information. The PRESIDENT stated that the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company had very

ship Hygeia. The following letter was read :agents of the principal steamship companies it Dran Sin. In view of the problemation published was proposed to approach the Government with in the Government Gazette Extraordinary of to day's the object of obtaining the appointment of a date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the date I have the honger to request to be furnished with number of the dealers of the dealers of the dealers of the honger of the dealers of the honger of the honge

tion of patients being conveyed to the hospital

(Sirned) P. ORTIZ DE YUGASTI, Consul for Spain. | charge of them ! The Board agreed that the Colonial Secretary might be informed they saw no objection to the to do with the public drains. request of the Cousul being complied with mittee appointed on the previous day, and Works Department has charge of the public after a few verbal and technical amendments drains. Can Mr. Crook tall us anything about

BYE-LAWS MADE BY THE SANITARY BOARD, vornment, to night probably: 1837," rok The Prevention and Mitt. to give the information we will know how to GATION OF THE EPIDEMIC ENDEMIC OR deal with it.

2.—The bodies of all persons dying of the Mr. Francis-I have to remark that if

pose by the Sanitary Board in such manner and the things that causes great mischief in this with such precautions as shall from time to time colony, every department asserting its independ be directed by the Sanitary Beard. ence and declining to give any information 3.—All persons knowing or having reason to except through the Colonial Secretary. believe that any persons has been attacked or is The President said he was sure the Governor suffering from Bubonio Plague or from any would desire that the fullest information should

Inspector or officer thereof. appointed place of all persons suffering from the he declines to give. under the orders of the Board or of one of its would give all the information he possessed. medical man, and then only in such manuer and objection to the information being given. shall from time to time direct.

nove the bodies of all persons dead of the disease quantity of water there was in the reservoirs at Sovereigns, Bank's Buying Rate.....9.41 for burial and will bury such bodies in such the end of last week, but it was being used at Goth Lear. 100 fine, per tool41.4) manner and with such precautions as the Board the rate of a million gallous a day and would be may from time to time direct, and no one shall exhausted on Monday, when the reservoirs bury such body in duy other way. 6. In any neighbourhood effected by the dis- was half a million gallons coming in from ease and within such limits as shall from time to the streams. time be defined by the Saultary Board, the officers The Colonial Surgion put a question with of the Board duly authorised in writing shall reference to pumping sea water into one of the make a house to house visitation for the purpose tanks for flushing purposes. of inspecting the sanitary condition of any pre- Mr Crook said nothing had been decided mises so visited and of all and every part thereof yet. He had been round to see what drains and of ascertaining whather there are any per wanted finshing. In the event of any hig drains sons in or upon the said premises attacked or wanting flushing they would have to fill a tank effected by the said disease or who have died specially but at present it was not present. thereof. And if the premises so visited or any Mr. FRANCIS-Can Mr. Crook tell us any part thereof shall be found in a dirty or insant: (thing ab at the main drains in the western end

tary condition in the opinion of the officer mak. of the town, now far they are chaked or open in contractors or sothers specially appointed for ands exceedingly phoked up, and that it would The Committee drew the attention of Her that purpose. All dead bodies found on such be almost impossible to clear them out by flush. Hongkong Electric., Britannic Majesty's Minister at Peking to this premises shall be forthwith removed for burial, ing. importation of which is specially provided for in case shall be taken to the Hygera or to such the existing treaty between Great Britain and other place as shall be appointed in pursuance of previous bye-law No. 1. 7-All articles of clothing, bedding, and all attempt to enforce the regulations contained articles whatsoever which have been in contact treaty rights. Against this section on the part the disease shall be removed from any premises tively flushed. of the Custom House, authorities the Committee in which they are or shall be found by the felt called on to protest, and His Excellency was officers or contractors of the Bhard, in covered requested to be good enough to adopt such mea- vehicles and with such precautions and in such sures as he deemed fit to obtain the withdrawal manner as the Board shall from time to time of the notification, and also to favour the Cham-direct, and shall be thoroughly disinfected and

moved and disinfected.

The revolutionary proposals to close the mints practitioner certified in writing, any bedding, loped as now I should not be surprised if next of India to free columns and to impose a daty on clothing, furniture or other article cannot be week the number of cases should be very much silver imported into that country had such an effectively disinfected or ought for may sanitary increased. I don't want to put more than seventy important direct bearing on the hitherto large reason to be destroyed, it shall be destroyed in or eighty cases on the Hyggia, and if there are and growing trade between the great Indian such manner and in such place and with such more than that number, which I expect there Empire and the Far Eastern silver naing count precautions as the Sanitary Board may from will be, the sooner you get the matched built 9.—Every room or place in which any person The President—The Secretary has been Throughout they have been man monsly of attacked by the disease, or in which the body of censulting with the Public Works Department

close the mints or to impose an import duty on been or shall be found, shall forthwith, after the mis inquiries. silver, and they have protested against such a removal therefrom of the diseased person or of The SECRETARY said the site that had been course being followed. The China Association the dead body, be thoroughly cleansed and disine thought of was on Poktulam Road and pointed and its branches have rendered good service in feeted and if more than three deaths have oc- it out on the map. connection with the subject, but so far also carred in the same promises the persons residing The ground described was the sile above unsuccessfully. The consequences of the clos- therein shall be removed and their furniture and . Shirler proposed some yours ago as a ing of the mints have been disastrous to Indian effects thoroughly cleaused and disinfected un leite for a new gool. It was objected to us being trade with Hongkong and silver-using countries. der the directions and supervision of the officers too hear to open pied honges, and Mr. Humphreys and further evil results are likely to follow. Of the Board and the premises disinfected and else took exception to it on account of its being cleansed as before mentioned before they are near the Pokfulam filtering bads and service COINAGE OF A BEITIGH DOLLAR allowed to return and re-occupy-the same: reservoir, as the water might become contami. New Malwa. The Chamber's opinion having been asked as 10.—If in the opinion duly certified in writ- nated. It was also arged that it would be a con- Old Malwa.

12. That a Permanent Committee of three d'Escompte de Paris, through their Acting Th. 12 m 7 89 The proposal for the coinage of a British members of the Senitary Board be appointed with Agent M. J. A. Leroy, to have their name placed. dollar has been cordially supported by the full power and authority to exercise all or any of on the register of shares of the China Land and

Houghoug the recommendation of the Departs Son, A. Findley Smith, and the National Bank Went on to say that he thought the staff of Inspectors ought to be duplicated; one man to go on with the work of dishifection, sto. and The accounts for the year anding 3|st Do the to attend to the Police Court work. Excellencies the Viceroy and Governor and Macro taining of proper returns from so important a cember, 1893, were audited by Mr. F. Pharburn; because if there was only one man he would, other high officials of the city have decided to trading centre as Hongkoug." Such a proposal and Mr. J. Y. V. Vernon. The balance at the have to spend a great deal of his time at the assemble at the East Gate Parade Ground to

Committee, but for reasons which have been at \$5.250 on fixed deposit, and \$2.728.81 account the drains to protect the people from further destruction land 5.160 and different times advanced at considerable length. Pinnaula Rock Fund," both amounts being in should not be disturbed now, but that notice The ceremony is to be commenced on the 19th. different times advanced at considerable length, "Pinnacle Rock Fund," both amounts being in should not be disturbed now, but that notice and need not be reproduced, that reliable statis. the hands of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank. | should be Laken of their condition with a view and continue to the 11th inst. to notion after they had been thoroughly

to be present to shewer any questions about the where the disease prevailed. Mr. CROOK, in reply to questions, said that in one blook of thirteen houses affected five ond had been redrained.

The Colonial Sungron said all blocks attacked ought to be brought under the operation: of the Ordinace as soon as possible. Mr. Francis - But in one block five out of thirteen houses attacked have been redrained, so that is no protection The COLONIAL SURGEON-Although your

own drains are good you may be poisoned by your kindly placed their wharf at the disposal of the meighbour's drams.

Government for two months for the embacks. Mr. Czook, in reply to further questions recommended the pleansing of the drains and that disinfectants should be poured down all the open. collected and the principal subscriber, we hear,

Mr. Francis seked if Mr. Crook was going to of \$70. take charge under the Board of the disinfecting

disinfecting of the drains of the houses in the neighbourhood; would Mr. Crook be put in The Present He will also have something for sale and its price is one dollar per pitcher. Mr. FRANCIS-We have nothing to do with Draft by laws were submitted by the Com that Mr. Crook is our officer. The Public

Mr. CROOK - A report is going in to the Go-UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF SECTION 32 Mr. FRANCIS That is not an answer to the OF "THE PUBLIC HEALTH, ORDINANCE, question of the Sanitary Board. If you refuse

CONTACTOUS DISEASE NOW AFFECTING Mr. CROOK said he did not think he would be THE COLONY KNOWN AS THE BURONIC justified in giving the information without leave Mr. Francis said he thought the sooner Mr 1.—All persons attacked by or suffering from | Crook was asked to leave the room the better. the said disease in any stage shall be promptly The President said he did not think it removed to the Hyggia or to such other public prossury to sak Mr. Crook to leave, that he hospital temporary or permanent as shall be thought his presence of great use to the Board. from time to time, appointed by the Sanitary He asked. Mr. Francis if he had any jurther

disease within the colony and the bodies of all Government officer comes here and is asked a persons dying from the disease elsewhere which question and declines to give information ou are brought within the colony shall be buried such grounds as Mr. Crook has given, the sooner in a special place to be set apart for that pure it is put a stop to the better. It is one of

disease appearing to resemble it shall notify the be given.

same without delay to the neavest Police Mr. Francis Mr. Crook is here and will Station, or to some public office or officer, and not give the information. This is how the the officer receiving any such notification verbal Board is treated in a origin like the present, and or written shall notify the same with the least the Acting Colonial Secretary endorses and possible delay to the Sanitary Board or to some supports it. Mr. Crook will give us the information he is bound to give us an officer of 4.—The Sanitary Board by its officers will the Board, but any further information in his provide for the removal to the Hygeia or other possession as an officer of another department

disease, and no removals shall take place except. The President stid he was sure Mr. Crook authorised officers or of a regularly qualified Mr. Humphreys and as sould not see any with such precentions as the Sanitary Board . The President-Will you kindly tell us Mr. Crook ? 5.—The Sanitary Board by its officers will re- Mr. CROOK said he did not grande ber the exact

would be dry-not ary exactly, because there

Mr. Chook-Yes, that is so in one or two cases, and they have not been touched on account of the reclamation. Mr. FRANCIS-Could they be tuckled and eleaned at once? Mr. CROOK-It would take a long time. Mr. Francis - Ind they could not be effec-

Mr. CROOK-No. The Colonial Surgion-Then the bes thing is to disinfest them? Mr. CROOK-Yes. The Presturn asked Dr. Lowson if he had

any recommendation to make. as to the right of importing machinery being No persons other than the officers or contract Dr. Lowson - After what I have seen to-day tors of the Board, shall remove or needlessly I think the Sanitary Board ought at once to handle such actiples until they have been re- decide on the site where they are going to erect a metshed hospital, because as far as I can make 8.—It in the opinion of the duly authorised out the incubation period of this disease is five officer of the Board, or of a duly qualified medical or six days, and after so many cases have deve-

o her premises selected and appointed by the of the Kennedytown reclamation and that the

SUPREMENCOURT Illu May.

IN OBIGINAL JUBISDICTION. ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE. In rethe ofina Land and Finance

COMPANY, LIMITED

the coinage of such a dollar without further were appointed the committee under section 12. Ewens, represented the Company and No Woon CHINA COAST MEUROROLOGICAL REGISTER. Governor in Council.

The motion was made under section 34 of the Mr. Francis esked if any one could give in Companies Ordinance 1865. For the Eank it Mr. St. G. Michaelsen on his return from formation as to the progress of the diseast since was urged that the shares held by Na Chan Forg Robert Shewan, A. G. Gordon, and Sin Enrope was invited to resume his place in the the previous day.

Committee which, during his absence, had been The Colonial Sunggon - Yes, then have Kai Ng had been deposited with them by their "Registration of Imports and Exports Ordin occupied by Mr. 4. Jantson. Mr. J. H. Scott been about twelve deaths reported square venter occupied by Mr. 4. Jantson. Mr. J. H. Scott been about twelve deaths reported square venter occupied by Mr. 4. Jantson. ance," when it was decided that if adopted the and Mr. N. J. Ede having left the Colony Mr. day morning and about twenty four new dates. and that therefore they were entitled to have measure would prove detrimental to the inferests E. Mackintosh and Mr. Douglas Jones were The Passes were the deaths reported at the Rogistrar General's oldes notual owners of the shares. to-day and that shows thirteen deaths noted as After numerous affidavits in support of the motion bad been read the case was adjourned

> PROM THE "CHUNG NGO! BAN PO." In counsetion with the plague in Centon their | Gap Rock offer marifice to the svil spirits and ask beaven Manlin During the past two days the number of fresh Tokio cases seems to kave been lessened, but the fatal The President said he had asked Mr. Crook cases among the safferers have still been count- Possiow

DANTON NOTES.

drains. Mr. Crook had visited Tainingshan. Of late the fish which is sent from Kow-kong haping and Shan tak districts to the city appear to welow. have suffered from the same disease, for, on the Honghone arrival of each boat at its destination at Wong Victoria Past Sha. West Gate district at least one half of the Gap Rock been reducined. Tuking the whole district, he Sha. West Gate district at least one half of the Gap Rock ... thought probably not more than ten per cent. load of fish has died. This is a great loss to the Macso..... traders and they are at present proposing to Hollow stop business until some precentionary measure Bolino has been taken to save their capital. We learn that up to the 8th inst the number | here S. James

of dead rate that had been bought by the exofficer-in conrege of the West Cate district was slight for M. winds. Sta slight. Weather felt | some light OFFICES about 21,000, They have now toen buried in a showers. bill near the Five Storled Pagoda. It is expected that further large numbers will be collected in the course of the next few days, and therefore a subscription has been raised to meet the expenses. A sum of nearly \$200 has been was a foreign Consul, who gave a donation lamperature

In Li-obusu. Pun Yn district, there is a well the water of which, it is said, has never been higher or lower, even when a veral hundred backets of it have been taken out. The people think that this is a sacred well and since the outbreak of the postilential disease many have gone there to drink the water, hoping that the disease will not attack them. This water has led been sent down to Hongkong in pitchers Several days ago two large bate were caught from the roof of the General's Yamen. They weighed about one catty each and measured lift. from tip to tip of their wings when spread out. It is stated that this kind of bird has for many years been building nests in the roof of the premises mentioned and has never been disturbed by the

Two days 220 at acon a famous doctor who had been invited to attend some patients inside the city, on his chair being set down at the patient's door, was found to be dead. The body was at once carried back to his own bouse. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 11th May. CLOSING QUO ATIONS. On London .--Telegraphic Transfer ... Bank Bills, on demand Bank Bills, at 30 days eight ... Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 2/14 Credits, at 4 months' sight Documentary Bills, 4months' sight2/14 N PARIS. Bank Bills, on demand Credits, at 4 months' sight2.68 ON GERMANY.-On demand ...

ON NEW YORK. Credits, 60 days' sight ON BOMBAY .--ON CALCUTTA. Telegraphic Transfer191 ON SHANGHAL. Bank, at sight......724 ON YOROHAMA --On demand pure pure 2 % pm.

ON MANILA. Oñ demand O : SINGAPORE. --JOINT STOCK SHARES.

PAIDUPLE LECUTATIONS. CONPANY. \$12 91 per cent. prem Longkong & S'ha China Japan, &c. nom. Do. Founders ... El 23, buye s Nat. Bank of Ch. Ali 1241, Bellets R. Shares Foun. Shares. nom. \$50 38, Fellers Brown & Co., H. G. Slu 14, sellers Campbell, Moore & Co. \$55 | \$1.50 China Borneo China Sugar Chinese Loan 86 E. \$100 | \$163; sales & selle ls. 250 11 p. ct. prem. Dakin Cruicks k&Co. \$5 | 31, buyers Dairy Farm Co. \$10 \$7, sellera \$25 3214 \$50 | \$8, sellers \$12.60 1 5. sellera H. Brick & Coment. 40 sellers Hongkong & C. Gas. 3130, buyers 4.85, sales \$100 | 60, buyers H. H. L. Pramways. \$25 \$80, sellers Hongkong Ice. 237c H. & K. Wharf & G *100, sales Hongkong Rope .. \$12\ 87 p. ct. pm H. & W. Dock ... Hongkong Hotel. \$31 \$12, buyers Shameen naurances— \$50 \$187, buyers Canton

China Fire \$25 \$62, buyers China Traders 350 3184 Hongkong Fire ... North-China £25 | Tls. 17J \$2 \$12; sellers Straits Fire \$20 \$131 Straits Marine \$1824, sellers Union Yang baze Land & Building-\$50 \$53, sellers H. Land Investin 18 10 sales & seilers Kowloon Land & B Humphreys Estate West Point Builds. \$40 \$20 \$100 S50, sellers Luzon Sugar 18 \$24, sellers Balmord \$2,50 | \$1.93, sales Gold (1.50 214, nom.

Mining --Charbonnagos :80, sales \$5.90, er div sellera Jelebu \$31 801, sales & sellers Punjon Do. (Proference) 8s 10d 55, sellers l'aubs tramship Coys,-China & Manila \$50 '38 Douglas S. S. Co. \$2 1 \$26 | seilers H. Canton, & M. En 38 p. ct. dis., sales indo-China S. N. \$371 54 sellors W'chai Wareh'se Co 310 | \$9.75; anles Attaon & God A. S CHATER & VERNON. share Brokers.

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HONGKONG TIDE TABLE. 18TH TO 18TH MAY, 1891. LOW WITHE. HIGH WATER Hongkong Height. Hongkong Mean Time. hor low-Bat. 12 No tolerion

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THE WEATHER.

Hongkong Register. Previous | On date | On date lay 4 p.m. at 10 a.m. | at 4 p.m. 22.79 29.88 roution of wind ...

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2—Texperators in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit.
3—Howners in percentage of saturation, the humidity of air saturated with moisture being 100.
4—Direction of the Wird to two points.
5—Force of the Went according to Beaufort Beals.
6—Stars of the Wenther, b. blue sky c. detached clouds; d. drzzling rain; f. fog fg. gloomy; h. hall; l., lightning; o. everenet; p. passing showers; n. scually; t., rain; e. snow; t. thunder; v. visibility w. dew [wet]. First Assistant longkong Observatory, 11th May, 1894

essus. Patconer & Col's Register, May 10th cometer 9 A.M. .. 29.88 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet built) 77 arometer 1 r.m. 29.81 Therm. 1 P.M. (Wet bulb) 7 Barometer 4 r.m., 29.77 Therm. 4 r.m. (Wet bulb) 77 Phormom. 9 A.m., 80 Therm. Maximum....... 82 Thermom, 1 P.M., 80 Therm. Minimum (over Charmon, 4 P.M. 80 night) SHIPPING REPORT.

The British steamer Hailoong, from Tamen 7th May, experienced light N.E. breeze and fine weather to Amoy. Left Amoy on the 8th and Swatow 10th; from Amoy to Swatow similar weather; from Swatow to port light easterly wind and fine weather; latter part cloudy and light showers at times. Steamers in Amoy:-Choicehowfoo and Protes. In Swatew :- Cheangchew, Nanshan, Woosung, Taiwan, Hothow, and Toksung.

LNSUMANUSS RANSAPLANTIOFIREINSURANOE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. the Undersigned, having been appointed

rents for the above Company, are propared to the Post Office. SIEMSSEN & Co. Honykong, 16th November, 1872. APHE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. Established 1870. HEAD OFFICE, -Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. foursong, 51 a March, 1893. SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

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Hongkong, 26th November, 1892, LICKLE FIRE OFFICE The Undersished are now prepared to RANT POLICIES OF INSURANCE against

MIRE at Current Bates. DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co., Agents for the Phonix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887. SUN INSURANCE OFFICE LONDON. FOUNDED 1710. ETHE Undersigned having been appointed

AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. SIEMSSEN & CO. Hongkong, 16th May, 1892. WHE TOKYO MARINE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE :- TORIO, JAPAN. GOVERNMENT GUARANTY...... \$ 400,000 RESERVE FUND ... 30th June, 1893....\$548,551 SPECIAL RESERVE, 30th June, 1893....\$134,097 The UNDERSIGNED, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risks at correct Rates. For the MITSUL BUSSAN KAISHA. K. FUKUI.

Hongkong, 19th April, 1894. TORTH BRITISH AND MERCAN. TILE INSURANCE COMPANY. TOTAL ASSETS AT SIST DECEMBER. 1892 EXCEED 211,141,294 1s. 1d L.-AUTHOBISED CARITAL ... 23,000,000 E s. d. SUBSORIBED CAPITAL 3,750,000

Manager.

AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Carrent Rates SHEWAN & Co., Hongkong, 13th July, 1893. THE TOURIST'S GUIDE Reduced Price 31

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Hongkong, 25th January, 1892,

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BY AN OLD FUGET. A WORD IN SEASON. When a great weekly review-it must great, because the pariodical is published at aix space to a subject upon which it declares that its renders are profoundly ignorant. I look for compared to owners in one grassen has never yet to my knowthing out of the common or ordinary run of
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which to hang a violent tireds against betting. I do not agree with either the "facts" or the "views" of the writer. That is towever, a not Mr. Douglas Baird fifth with £10.625. But Not two matters of importance in connection out two matters of importance in connection not absolutely winnings. I should like to see with this embject. First of all, I do not b lieve the profit and loss account of these five gentlethat the scratching of Cloister " mea is misery men who ran into five figures in 1893. Many and poverty in hundreds of homes, crippled and may an owner's " winnings," I'll be bound and may an owner's " winnings," I'll be bound represent the relation between pence and pounds and disappointment from one end of the land to when compared with the expenditure. It is given the other. ly word In this instance you have a gentle: he occasion being when Kermesse beat Dutch min who loves sport for the sake of the Oven in the Champague stakes at Honcaster. p'e sure it affirds, who has no greater satisfac- In his younger days Lord Falmouth used to tion in this world than to see a noble high- have a bet. Once when the racing was over a spirited, and h nest horse, of which he is the friend asked him how he "stood on the day." proprietor, win a race which has a history and . I'm quits on the day, was the answer given LONDON, &c..... schieve a new record by doing so for the second in a somewhat triumphant fone. The rejoinder as he thought to recoup himself threw away the opportunity of capturing the Laucashire Handiour Steephleohase, in addition to losing all his bels. I say that I search in vain for consolation for Mr. uwner of horses has terrible expenses to face.

times even to the richest. THE HOISES CONNECTED WITH THE TURY the turf, or breeding for the turf. On referring the end of 1892, I am struck by the fact that the Duke of " Donovan " began rooing in 1881, and breeding of herses is now largely on the increase from 1935 to 1893 inclusive the stakes with Indeed, it is stated that there are 1,400 breeders of equips stock. The broad mares secondted for in 18 0 wers 3.979 ; in 1890, 4,081 ; in 1891, 4,498 ; and is 1892, 4.930 . Here we have an increase of close upon 1.000 mares in four years. If, howwith only such moderate betting as pleases him: ever, we take off the last return for 1892, the mares mated with half-bred sires, those who died the preceding season, and those sent abroad, we shall find that the brood mares in the hands of the 1:401 breeders to total about 4,600. The foals. Lorn in 1839, were 2,360; in 1890, 2,503; in 1 91, 2.787; and in 1892, 3.040, so that we may safely say there are considerably over 2,500 fools per season. Then it may be taken as a fact that thurs are about 400 more or less well-known stallions, although, probably, not half of these command the respect buyers of bloods near for racing partiones. Next took part in contests under Jockey Club Rules. This is a greater number than in any previous sesson. In 1892 the figures were 2.559; in 1891. 2.306; and in-1890, 2.102. Over 2.500 ran in 1808 6: -70 Taking one consideration with an other. Liancy we shall not overstep the mark if we say that considerably over 2,000 horses run every season. If we put the figures at 2,500 we then obtain the total of 10,000, with which I started. The figures will be 4,600 brood mares 2,500 feels, 400 stallions, and 2,500 horses in

called sympathy. Be it my pleasure to show.

training, which makes up the 10,000. THE CAPITAL INVESTED. Now, the next thing to do is to assess the value of these 10.00 Janimals. Considering that of two horses fooled on the same day in the same stud one has been running for the Derby while the other, standing in the shafts of a vehicle, bas of Cloister that is another story. But the poor man who bets relishes "good odds," and not a been looking on at the great race, it will be confessed that the task is one of no little "whore prior," with the chance of a fall or an magnitude. For the yearlings sold at anotion during 1893 the highest price obtained was 3,000 guineas and the lowest five guineas. Hence, I repeat, that to estimate the worth of these 10,000 animals is no easy matter. Whenwe know that a dozen of Hormit's progeny realised 20.050 gaineas, and three Sterlings 6,100 guire a, when we recall that Sir Blundelf Maple gave 6,000 guineas alone for Childwick, now four years old, by St. imon-Plaisanterie, it certainly does become hard to fix their value. Under these circumstances let us turn to one of the best books! over published usmely "Ruff's Guide to the Turf" -the spring od tion of which was published the Captain Statt, will be despatched as above on or other day. The compilers of this marvellons volume-without which no racing man's library is as EUPLECTELA on or about the 15th complete—show that in 1889 the average price of proximo; the yearlings sold at public auction was 300 gnineas, in 1890-351 gnineas, in 1-91-275 gnineas, in 1892 221 guiness, and in 1893 218 guiness. De not be alarmed. These figures do not prove a permanent decline in the value of thorough breds for only in 1886 the average was 215 gainese. At any rate, this makes the average price of yearlings from 1839 to 1393 inclusive 73 guineas. But the broad mares and stallions and many of the horses in training are worth vastis more than this -although others are not nearly so valuable. However, I think it will be fair i we say that the 10,000 are each worth £300 Such an estimate has been arrived at before on different premises. That would make the capital i vested in horseft sh £3,000,000. THE CUST OF MAINTENANCE.

place a horse which is placed with a good trainer will have to be paid for at the rate of 50s. or £3 per week, and if the horse be trained at Newmarket there is the beath tax to be added to the many other incidentals only known to owners. We must add to this the subscriptions for the entry of the horse to various races, his travelling to and from his quarters to different meetings; and the fees of the jookey to ride the animal. An owner may be allowed credit by his trajner, but Measrs. Wellerby, the clerks of courses, and jookeys expect prempt pryment. They have no appreciation of sither book bebts or had debts. You may not to a bookmaker, but racing law will not allow an owner to do this sort of thing with a licensed official or a jockey. Few people, except those who have them to pay, have any idea of the vast sums that some owners of radehorses spend in entrance fees. For some time past it has been common to find fashionably-bread two year olds commencing the STEAM TO NATAL AND CAPE PORTS flat racing season with 60 or 70 engagements. and accres of others not quite so pristogratically connected with from 40 to 50 liabilities. Entrance money and forfeits can soon run up to £20 or £30 per week. Owners seem at length to have found this out. Truth the other day pointed out WHE Undersigned having been appointed. For further information as to Passage or that the volume of "Races to Come" for 4894 . . GEVERAL AGEN'IS in CHINA and Freight apply to shows only a couple of two year olds with more JAPAN for the above Line, are prepared to issue than 50 engagements, and only eight with between . HROUGH BILLS OF LADING for NATAL, 40 and 50. However, making all due allowance FAST LONDON. FORT ELIZABETH, MOSSEL for sondomy, wherever that is pussible in a racing BAY, CAPE TOWN, DELAGOA BAY, and BEIRA. stud, it may be taken for granted that it easts. The Steamers leave CALGUTTA and COLOMBO 2250 a year to keep a horse for flit-moing, monthly Taking then 5.000 horses as either in training Next sailing from COLOMBO, 9th June, or to be itsided, and excluding the sires and S.S. "CONGELLA". dame, we see that the abund expenditure, in For Freight and further Particulars, addition to the capital invested, amounts in the ng regate to £1,210,000 .. If we allow du terest on the £ 1,000.000, at say 5 per cent, we must

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race him one or £230 per annum. In the first

money mak of £150,000, which brings the total yearly expenditure of recehorse owners up to THE STARRS TO BE WON. If owners are to be adequately recouped for their outley it is then evident that it ought to be possible for them to win this same back in nence devotes three columns of its valuable states. As a matter of fact they have no such opportunity. The autual sam won in stakes by 1.99 amounted to 2460,512 7s. Od., so that the owners of the country are practically left to face. a national calamity, and the losses incurred a deficit of a million sterling. No doubt it seems by the masses of the population are compared very encouraging to read that Mr. H. Mc almost

the other. When a borse is at such a ridious to but few to enjoy the remarkable successes of lously short price as Cloislor was ever since Lord Falmouth and the present Dake of Portthe publication of the weights the familiant for instance. The late Lord Falmouth herd, the masses, do not touble over one was at the head of the winning owners in 1874. another to invest their money on it. Ho, with £15,975, in 1875 with £21.152 in 1877 with they look for an animal with some pretent as to affect a coup, and "appet the pot," and they search for a condidate at what are continued by called more remanerative odds. Personally.

Lido not believe that clocks have reabled their and it is calculated that he made a profit of and it is calculated that he made a profit of and it is calculated that he made a profit of and it is calculated that he made a profit of masters and abate husb and have robbed their £200,000. In addition he sold his stud for the wives of the microstaries of life to back Cloister. grand aggregate of 111,030 guineas. And There was so precious limits to gain even if the Lord Falmouth was not a gambler. Sir George horse won. The people who have kept Cloister Chetwent says that in the midst of Lord Falmouth was not a gamble of Lord Falmouth was not a at the head of the quotations have been men with | month's racing carper Lord Rosebary, who is a money, professional backers, and commercial and rare hamourist, bad 100 forms printed, beginning professional men who find "a gamble" one of " My dear Falmouth, - Allow me once again to their enjoyments in life. That is one point. congratulate you on the success of your horse Moreover, throughout this long preachment I — in another classic race, etc., so that he only don't find a single word of sympathy for the required to fill in the name of the animal

considered a prohibitive impost. Mr. Grant the the day by not betting at ail. From that owner of Cloister, not only lost his chance of win- moment - Lord - Falmouth - gave - up betting. ning the Grand National again, in itself a suffic Two historical wag re are recorded of Lord ciently exasperating circumstance, but in order, Falmouth. It will be rem mhered, that he bet rs. Scott, the wife of his trainer, expence that Queen Bertha did not win the Oaks. As Queen Bertha defeated her rivals Lord Falmouth produced a new sixpence from the Mint, which Grant. And yet this is not the lot of the owners | was then encircled in crystals and encircled by of thoroughbreds which run on the turi. The three rows of black pearls, brilliants and rubies -emblematic of his lordship's racing o lours. has many disappointments, has scores of small Another bet was a new hat on the St. Leger of initating circumstances to annoy him, and 1873 between Lord Falmonth and Lord Aling generally looks in vain for that soothing balm ton, the latter backing Childeric against Jannette. Lord Alington offereda sovereign in paythen, that owners as a class are entitled to more ment, when Lord Falmonth laughingly replied kindly thought, and that it is a very difficult Oh, no, our het was a new hat; and mine cost task to make rusing pay now-a days. They may thirty shillings each." One day at York Mr. say that this is a very sordid and unsportsman. Chaplin off red to bet Lord Falmouth any sum like way to look at matters. Nevertheless, turf from a "monkey" apwards that Hermit became finance is a subject that compels reflection at the sire of a Derby winner before Kingscraft. Said Lord Falmonth: "No. I don't wish to bet. When you are trying to convince your audience We can first of all learn some useful lessons in the House of Commons with your views you by looking at the capital involved in racing and don't het with them about it." No." Mr. the possible returns for the money so invested. Chaplin is oredited with answering, but I It is calculated that there are always about 10,0 0 should like to" Thus you see the gambling horses either actually on the turf, preparing for spirit was not strong within Lord Falmouth who reconned himse f on the Turf without its to the last volume of the Stud Book, published in aid. The Duke of Portland, as I told you last August, 1893, which brings the figures down to. December, has been wonderfully successful. The

which he was credited amounted to the gigantic

total of £ 76,195 5s. 5d. When we add to this

the Dake's income from bt. Simon it must be

soknowledged that he has made the Turf pay

But these instances are almost as rare as Koh-inoor diamonds. · OTHER CONSIDERATIONS. I have only just touched the fringe of a very large subject, and presented a rough general balance slicet. I have not said a word about the lottery of private breeding in which owners indulce. I have been unable to enter into the bad luck of many gentlemen who purchase yearlings and horses at very high prices only to see them walking about as costly failures. I have moreover not alluded to the personal expenses of the owners of thoroughbreds in atlending, race meetcome we to the horses in training Last year lings There are about 260 days of each year de-1893 -no fewer -than 2,602 different animals voted to firt raving at different centres. foourso it is unavoidable that some of the meetings clash. but the expenses of owners, who go racing with any regularity must be very heavy. A well-known millionnire, who was not what is known as a "flat," has lost money on the Turk at the rate of £3 000 a month. Even Mr. Merry, the wellknown iron master-declared that if he had never looked upon a gamecook, a terrier dog or a racehorse, he would have been a quarter of a million richer. When I think of these things, and endeavour to realise the expanses of owners, and the worries and troubles of racing generallywhy then I feel sorry for Mr. Grant. I have no aympathy for the professional backer who has lost his money over Cloister. The professions backer deserves all he wins and all he loses. any poor man has suffered through the collapse

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VICTORIA, B.C. &o. V.Y'HIMA	8ikb		Rowley	Dolwell, Carlill & Co	On 29th inst. at Noo
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PENINSULAR & ORLANDAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

REMARKS. LONDON VIA MARSEILLES JAPAN . (Freight or Passage (Call-ONDON About 24th May ... ing at MARSEILLES if sufdoient inducement offers.) .. Roserra Noon, 24th May See Spinial Advirtisament

For further particulars apply to

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Hongkong, 13th May, 1894.

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Hougkoug, 3rd May, 1894.

Argosto on las Real OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT. laking through Cargo for Sula, Menado, and-I'HE Company's Steamship

Captain Branch, will be despatched as above TO- AY, the 12th inst, at 3 Fm. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 9th May, 1891

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRO, AND HAMBURG Calling at NAPLES for landing Passengers is sufficient inducement offers.) Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LISBOY, OPORTO, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) "I'HE Steamship ...

OCTANA." Captain F. Behrens, will be despatched for the above ports PO-DAY, the 12th inst, at 4 P.M. This Steamer has superior accommodation for First and Second Class Passingers and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co..

Hongkong, 7th May, 1894. FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

"NINGPO" Captain Th. Lahmann, will be despatched for the bove port TO-DAY, the 12th inst., at 4 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIE MISSEN & Co. Hongkong, 9th May, 1894.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILROAD

COMPANIES. PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGHONG.

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). Tuesday | May 29. VIOTORIA Tuesday June 19. TACOMA Tuesday | July 17. Sir | Tuesday | Aug 7. Victoria Tuesday Aug. 28. IHE Steamship

Captain J. Rowley, sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 29th May, 1891, will proceed to VICTORIA B.C. and TACOMA, via INLAND SEA, KOBE, and YOKOHAMA. the above places. Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate, and one copy must be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office with address. marked in full by 5 P.M. on the day previous to DODWELL CARLILL & Co..

Hougkong, 9th May, 1894. FOR NEW YORK. THE 8/8 L.L.I. American Bark

"EDWARD MAY" McClure dister will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongbong, 19th March, 1894.

Agents.

Whosels in the Brite AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S SPEAM NAVIG TION COMPANY.

Podder Street.

(UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.) STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE, ME Company's Steamship "GISELA."

Captain F. Cossovich, will leave for the above places on or about TO-DAY, the 12th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER & Co., Hongkong, 8th May, 1894.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND

IHE Company's Steamship

"HAILOONG." aptain Roach, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 13th inst., at DAY-For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 11th May, 1894. UCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

HE Company's Steamship "ACHILLES." Captain Harvey, will be despatched as above

ou THURSDAY, the 17th lust. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 8th May, 1894. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

Maritimes. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS NOTICE.

STEAM FOR AIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO lombo. Aden, suez, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS. ALEXANDRIA. MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE, AND

BORDHAUX.

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA. N WEDNESDAY, the 16th inst. at Noon, the Company's Steamship "YARBA." Commandant de Manheuge, with Maris, Passon. gers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this Port for Cargo and Specie will be registered for Landon as well as for Marsailles, and accented in ransit through Marselles for the principal

Places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noos Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M... Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 15th inst. (Parcels are not to be sent on board: they must be left at the Agency a O lice) Con tents and Value of Packages are required. For further particulars, apply at the Com-G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

liongkoog, 3rd May, 1994. FOR NEW YORK THE 8/3 L. I. I. American Barque

"EDWARD KIDDER." shortly expected, will load here for the above p in and will have a quick despatch. For k reight, apply to REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 28th March, 1894.

SHANGHAI Manila Brit ste. P. & O. S. N. Co. On or about 24th inst. SWATOW Amov. & Tamsui Hailoong Brit str. Roach Douglas Lapraik & Co. ... To-morrow, Divlight. VESSEL ON THE BERTH INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steamship KUTSANG."

Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above

on TUEED Y, the 15th inst. at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to: JARDINE, MATHÉSON & Co., General Managers. Hongkoug, 8th May 1894. Austrian Lloyd's steam naviga-

UNDER MILL CONTRACT WITH THE Austrian Government). STEAM FOR SING APORT, PENANG COLOMBO. BOMBAY, ADEN. SUEZ

TION COMPANY.

PORT SAID. BRINDISL VENICE F.UME. AND TRIESTE. (Taking Jarge at through rates to CALCUTTA Madras, Persian Gulf, Red Sta, Black SEA, LEVANT, and ADRIATIC POBTS). HE Company's Steamship "VINDOBONA." Captain P. Mersa, will by despatched as above

on or about THURSDAY, the 17th inst. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 P.M. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to SANDER & Co. Hongkong, 11th May, 1894.

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SALLINGS FROM HONGRONG CHINA (via Navasaki, Tuesday, May 15, Company's Office until Five P.M. the day preat I P.M. Yokobama) Penu (via Nagasaki, SATURDAY. June 2. Kobe, Inland Sea, and

Yokohama.) CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO (via Nagasaki, Kobe, WEDNESDAY, John Inland Sea, Yokohama · 2), at 1 P.M. and Honolula

be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO. and YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, the 15th MAY, at 1 PM, taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and

Steamers of this line pass through the IN-LAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HONO-[8 LULU and presengers are allowed to break their | SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN. SUEZ. journey at any point en couter.

Company's and connecting Steamers.

address in full; value of same is required.

Collector of Customs at San Francisco.

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NEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH, AND

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HEAVEH BILLS OF LADING HEUED. FOR

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"ATTECOR!

at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the

above Ports. This steamer connects at Box-

BAY with the PENCHSULAR which

shipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding

for London, &c. will be conveyed via Bombay.

Parcels will be received at this Office until 4

P.M. the day before sailing. The Contents and

Shippers are particularly requested to note

H. H. JUSTPH.

Buperintendent,

the terms and conditions of the Company's Bills

Value of all Packages are required.

For further Particulars, apply to

Henghong, 11th May, 1894.

of Lading.

AND AMERICAN PORTS.

J. S. VAN BUREN, Agent.

No. 7, Praya Central.

THE Steamship

Hongkong, 12th May, 1894.

Through Passage Tinkets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK lines of steamers, and to the principal cities of the United states or Canada. Rates may be obtained on application. Passengers bolding through ORDERS TO EUROPE have the choice of Overland Rail GALVESTON, AND SOUTH AMERICAN

routes from San Francisco, including the SOUTHERN PACIFIC CENTRAL PACIFIC. UNION PACIFIC. DENVEW AND RIO GRANDE THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT and Northean P o Fig Railways; also the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY OR DEVIDENT OF \$10.00 Gold in addition to the regular tariff rate. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Passengers holding orders for OVER PLACES IN RUSSIA LAND CLT ES in the United States have, between San Francisco and Chicago, the option [5] of the Southern Pacific. CENTRAL PACIFIC. UNION PACIFIC, DENVER AND RIO GRANDE and other direct connectin : Railways, and from MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and Chicago to destination the choice of direct lines. CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING

at Naples and Genoa. Particulars of the various routes can be had on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European coived at the Agency's Office until Noon on officials in service of China and Japan, and to SUNDAY, the 27th inst. Contents of Packages Government officials and their families.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohams and other Japan Ports. to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Linen can be was sed on board. Havana, Trinidal, and Domerara, and to ports in Mexico, Centril and South America, by the Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M.

Hongkong, 7th May, 1894, the day previous to suiling. Parcel Packages FOR NEW YORK will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to THE 3/3 L.T.L. American Bark "ADAM W SPIES." Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des-

tined to points beyond San Francisco n the Port, and will have quick despatch. United States should be sent to the Company's For Proight apply to Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Hongkong, 18th April, 1894. For further information as to Passage and FOR NEW YORK. Freight apply to the Agency of the Company, THE 3/3 A.T.I. American Ship

> DR KNURR'S LION BRAND NTIPYRINE. (Dose for Adults 15 to 35 grains troy.)

Is the most approved and most efficacion remedy in cases of HEADACHE, MIGRAINE NEURALGIA RHEUMATISM, FEVER, TYPHUS. INFLUENZA. DENGUE ERYSIPELAS, HOOPING COUGH, and many other complaints. It is also the very best Captain G. W. F. Brown R. N.R., carrying Her Antisoptio. Highly recommended by the Medi-Majesty's Mails, will be desmatched from this for cal Faculty. Ask for Dn. KNORR'S AN-BOMBAY, on THURSDAY, the 24th May, TIPYRINE! Each Tin boars the inventor's signsture "Dr. KNORR" in red letters.

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VESSELS ON THE BERTH GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS. FOR MARSHILLES AND LONDON THE Steamship

Captain L. Madesa, having arrived from the This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for take immediate delivery of their goods from

1963 and stored at Consignees risk and expense.
No Claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after Saturday, the 12th instant wil be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, the 12th instant, at

> Hougkong, 5th May, 1894 NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "TACOMA." FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO.

HAMA, AND KOBE THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to Bengio (via Nagasaki, Thomsolv., Way 24, Kobe, Inland Soa, and send in their Bills of Lading for countersignsture, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Oceanic (via Negasaki, Tunndar June 12. Kobe, Inland Sea, and 1994, at 1 P.M. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

> DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong 7th May. 1894

TYHE Steamship "BELGIC" will be dispatched for SAN FRANCISCO, tra

MALACCA." FROM LONDON.

LULU and passengers are allowed to break their and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods Through Passenger Tickets granted to Eng- instructions are given to the contrary before and, France, and Germany by all traus-Atlantic 4 P.M., To DAY (MONDAY). Goods not cleared by the 13th instant, at 4

lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of P.M. will be subject to rent. the United States or Canada. Rates and parti-No Fire. Insurance will be effected by me in culars of the various Routes may be obtained any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and netice of same given to the Unto dersigned, when a representative of this Office

Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, 15 Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European which no claims will be recognised officials in service of China and Japan, and to н. н. јозерн. Government officials and their families. Passengers who have paid full fare, re-

embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will be allowed discourt of 10 per cent. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. All PANCEL PACKAGES should be marked to

Special rates (first class only) are granted

THE Stanfiship

n MONDAY, the 21st last, at & P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, 8th May, 1894.

"GLENGYLE"

JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

Captain Gasson, will be despatched as above

OUCIDENTAL AND ORIENTA

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PAKING CARGO AND PASSENGER

TO JAPAN, THE UNITED

MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH

OVERLAND BALLWAYS, AND

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BTEAMERS.

VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND

HONOLULU.

PROPOSED BAILINGS PROM HONGKONG.

GARLIC (via Nagasaki, Tuesnav.....July 3.

and YOKOHAMA, on THURSDAY, the 24th

Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai.

Yokobama)

Kobs, Inland Sea, and

Yokohama)

journey at any point en route.

upon application.

. 1894, at 1 P.M.

1891, at 1 P M.

STATES

vious to sailing. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo des are landed. tined to points beyond Sau Francisco in the United States should be sent to the Company's

address in full; and same will be received at the

Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs. San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or THE U. S Mail Steamship "CHINA" will Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company,

No. 7, Praya Central. J. S. VAN BUREN. Agent. Hongkong, 25th April, 1894 NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR PORT SAID. NAPLES GENOA, ANTWERP BREMEN AND HAMBURG.

SEA AND BALTIC PORTS; LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BAL-TIMORE NEW ORLEANS.

SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE BILLS OF LADING BOR THE PRINCIPAL

AN MONDAY, the 28th day of May. 1894 at 3 P.M. the Company's Steamship "PREUSSEN." Captain Höremann, with Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on SATURDAY, the 26th lust, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board natil Noon on MON-DAY, the 28th last, and Parcels will be re- FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF CALL. are required. No Parcal Beceipts will be signed

at less than \$2. and Parcell should not exceed Iwo Feet Cable In Measurement. The Steamer has splentid accommodation ind parries Doctor and Stewardess. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Movers, Master, will load here for the abov SHEWAN & Co..

"Samuel skolfield." Skolfield, Master, shortly due, will load here for the above port and will have quick disputch. For Freight, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co. Houskoug 29th March, 1894.

CANAL leaving that port on the 15th JUNE, 1894 is described as amusing? Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and To be had at every reputed Chemist and Tes for London (under arrangement) will be tran- Druggist: Supplies constantly on hand at the China Exdirect to Warseilles and London; other Corgo port, Import, and Bank Co. Sole Agents for Beware of spurious imitations 72687

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND EINGAPORE.

above ports, Consignees of Cargo are bereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to Passengers, and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Mongside. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship NAGASARI, KOBE INLAND SEA

MAY, at 1 P.M. Connection being made at Cousignees of Cargo by the above named Vessol are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Steamers of this line pass through the IN. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each LAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONO consignment will be sorted out mark by mark

Optional goods will be landed here unless

will attend to examine them at 10 A.M. on the 12th inst. and at 10 Am. on the 14th inst. after

Honekong, 7th May, 1904 NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer

"GANGES." FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO, AND Consignees of Cargo by the above named V sssel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowas at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark,

and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods This vessel brings on Cargo: -From London, &c. ex s.s. Oriental and Valetta. From Persian Gulf ex ss. King Arthur, Assyria, Shuthma, and Mecca-Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 P.M.

Goods not cleared by the 18th inst., at 4 P.M., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in anv casa whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and notice of same given to the Undersigned, when a representative of this Office will attend to examine them at 10 A.M. on the 12th and at 10 a.m. on the 14th inst., after which no Claims will be recognised.

H. H. JOSEPH. Superintendent. Hongkoug. 7th May, 1894. INDO-CHIVA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship

"KUTSANG" having arrived from the above Ports, Cousignoes of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 P.M. of the 9th inst. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be eff-oted. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE MATHESON & Co... General Managers. Hongkong, 8th May, 1894.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

8.8. PREUSSEN. THE above named Steamer having arrived, Consiguess of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium. Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowleen Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will go on to Shanghai unless

notice to the contrary be given before 3 P M.

THIS AFTERNOOD (WEDNESDAY), the 9th inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all G ods remaining undelivered after the 16th instant will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th inst. at 3 P.M. All Claims must reach us before the 18th inst. or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 9th May, 1894. "GLEN" LINE OF STHAM PACKETS. FROM LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship "GLENOGLU" unving heriyet irom toe above ports Consignee of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 3 P.M. TO-DAY

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. - Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 23rd inst. otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersioned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.. Hongkong, 9th May, 1894.

MAIL TABLES. THE Card published at the Daily Press Office Contains:--English Mails, homeward and outward

French Calendar for 1894. That is more information than is given on one printed in London for which fifty conts is charged. The price of the locally printed

correct card in 10 cents on paper, 20 cents on